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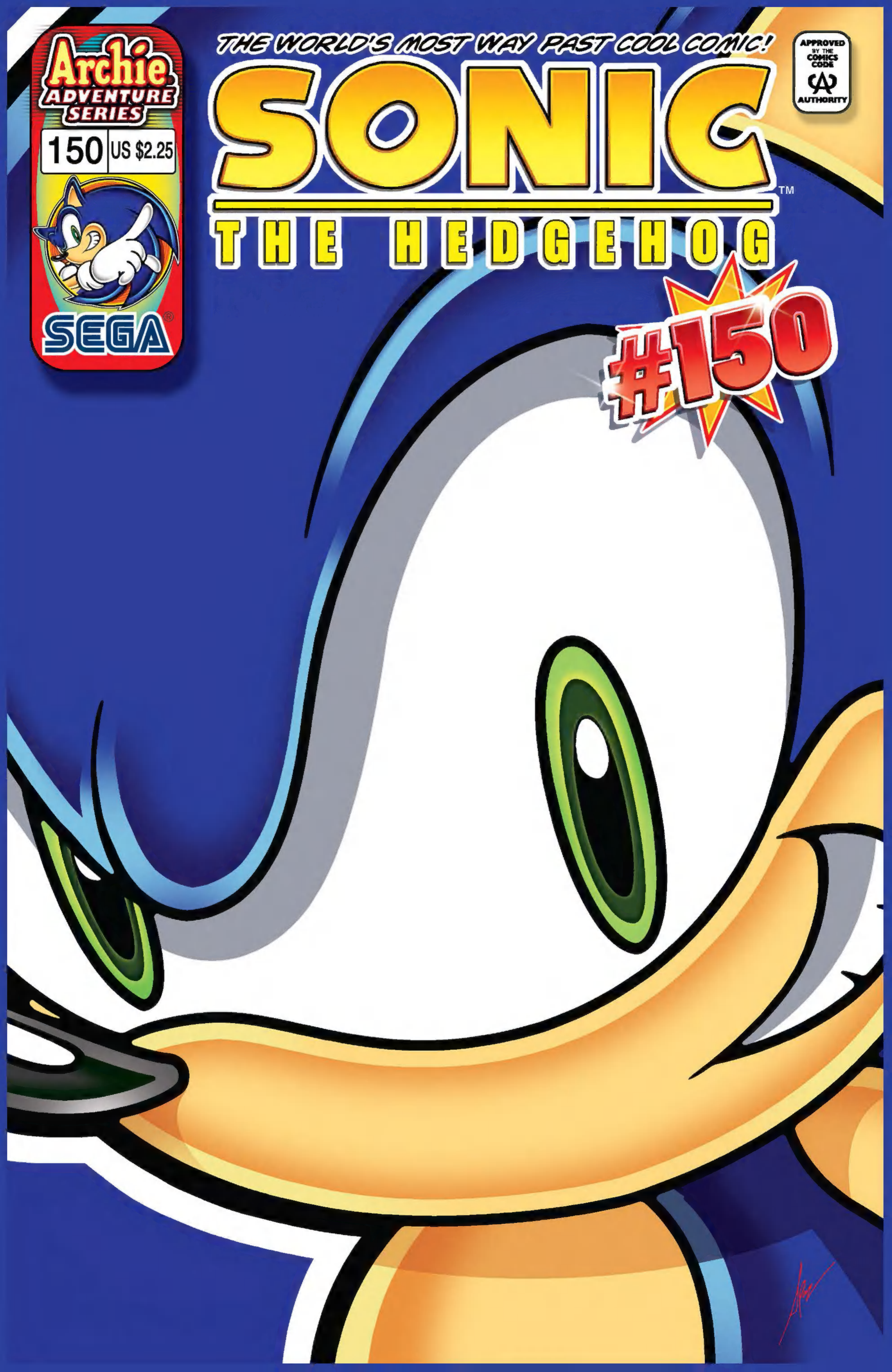
THE WORLD'S MOST WAY PAST COOL COMIC!



SONIC™

THE HEDGEHOG

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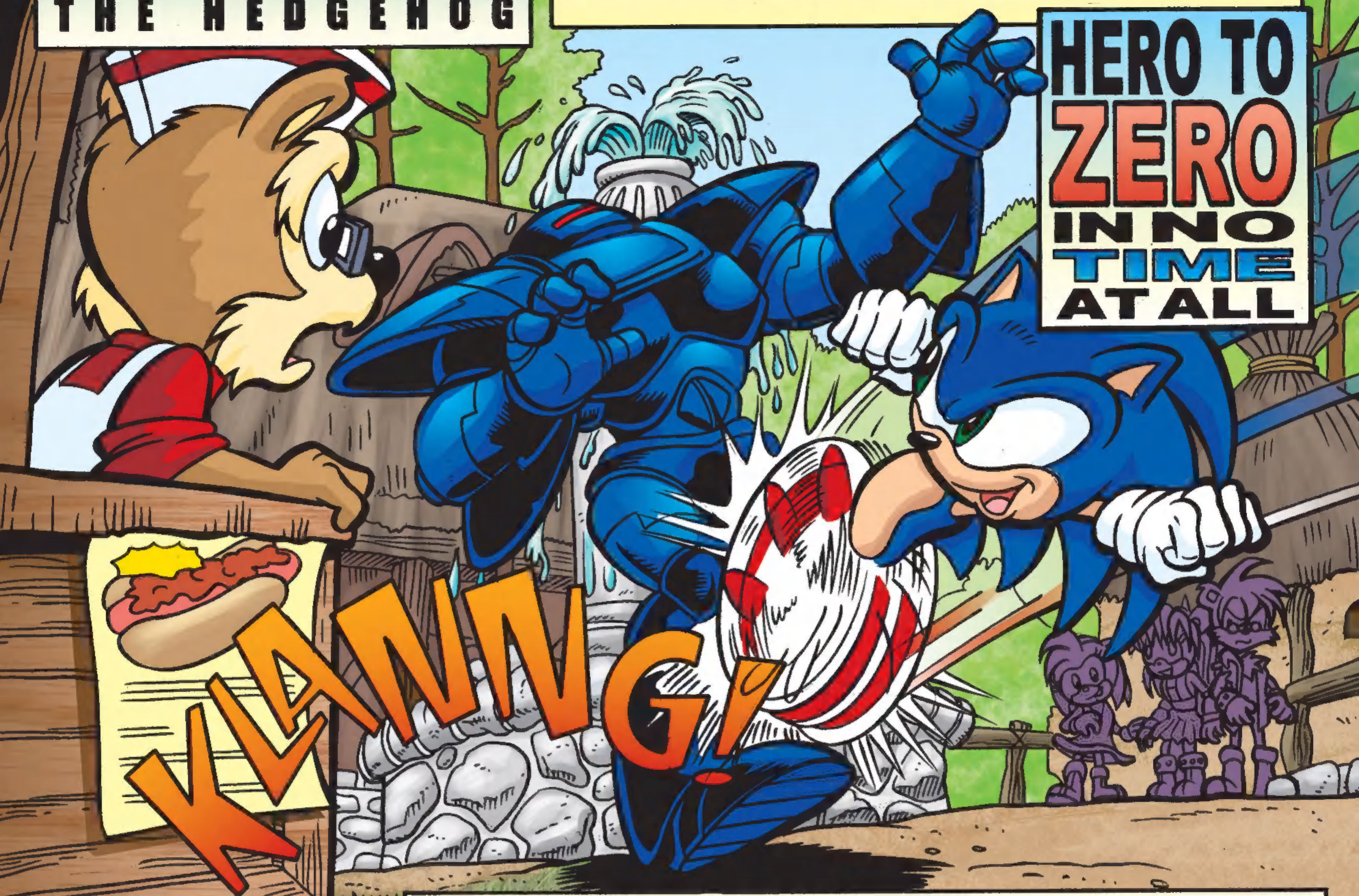


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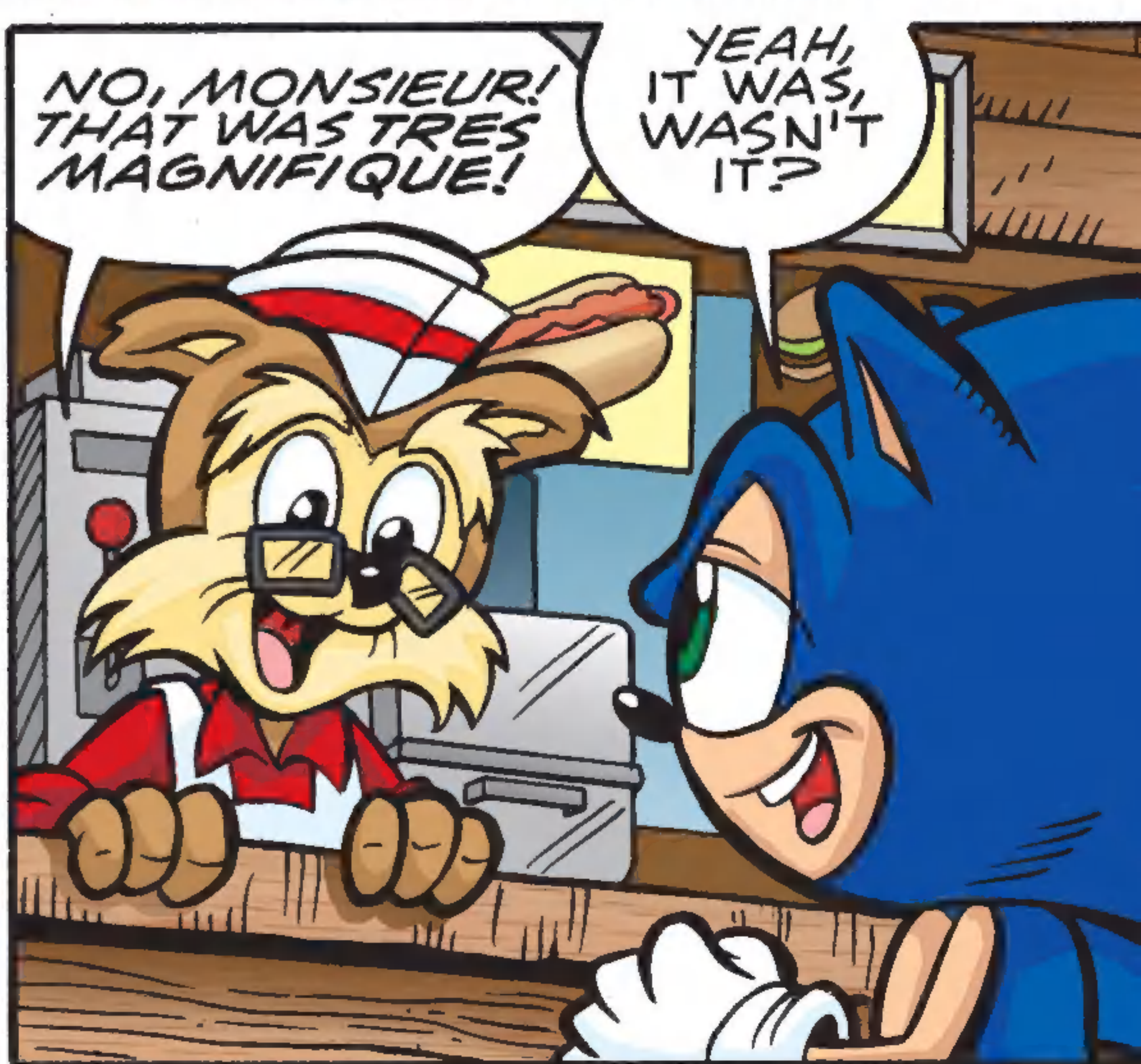
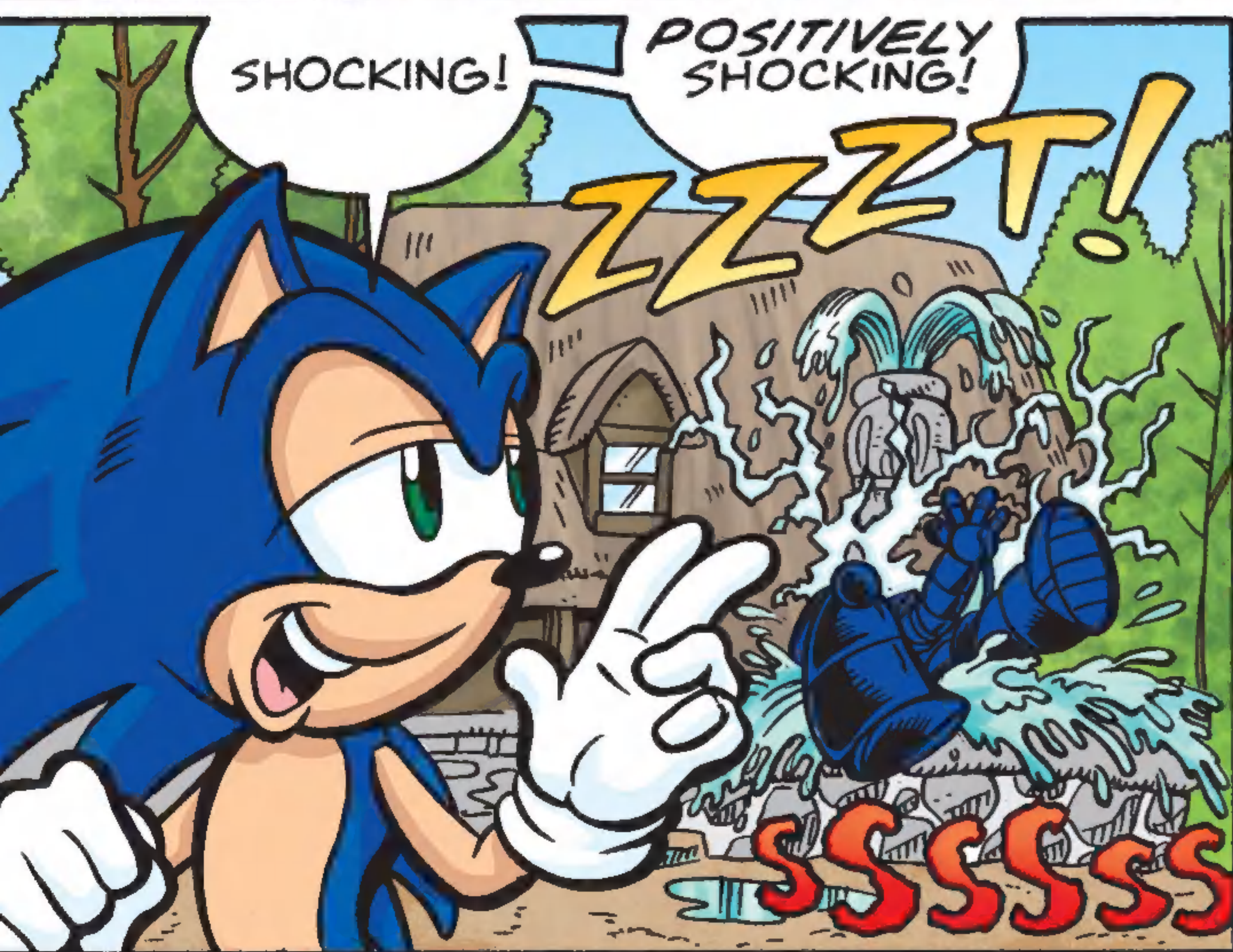
THE PLACE: THE TOWN SQUARE OF KNOTHOLE!
THE TIME: RIGHT NOW!
THE ACTION: WELL, THAT SHOULD BE OBVIOUS!
SO BUCKLE UP AND SEE WHAT HAPPENS TO
SONIC AND COMPANY IN A THRILLER WE CALL...

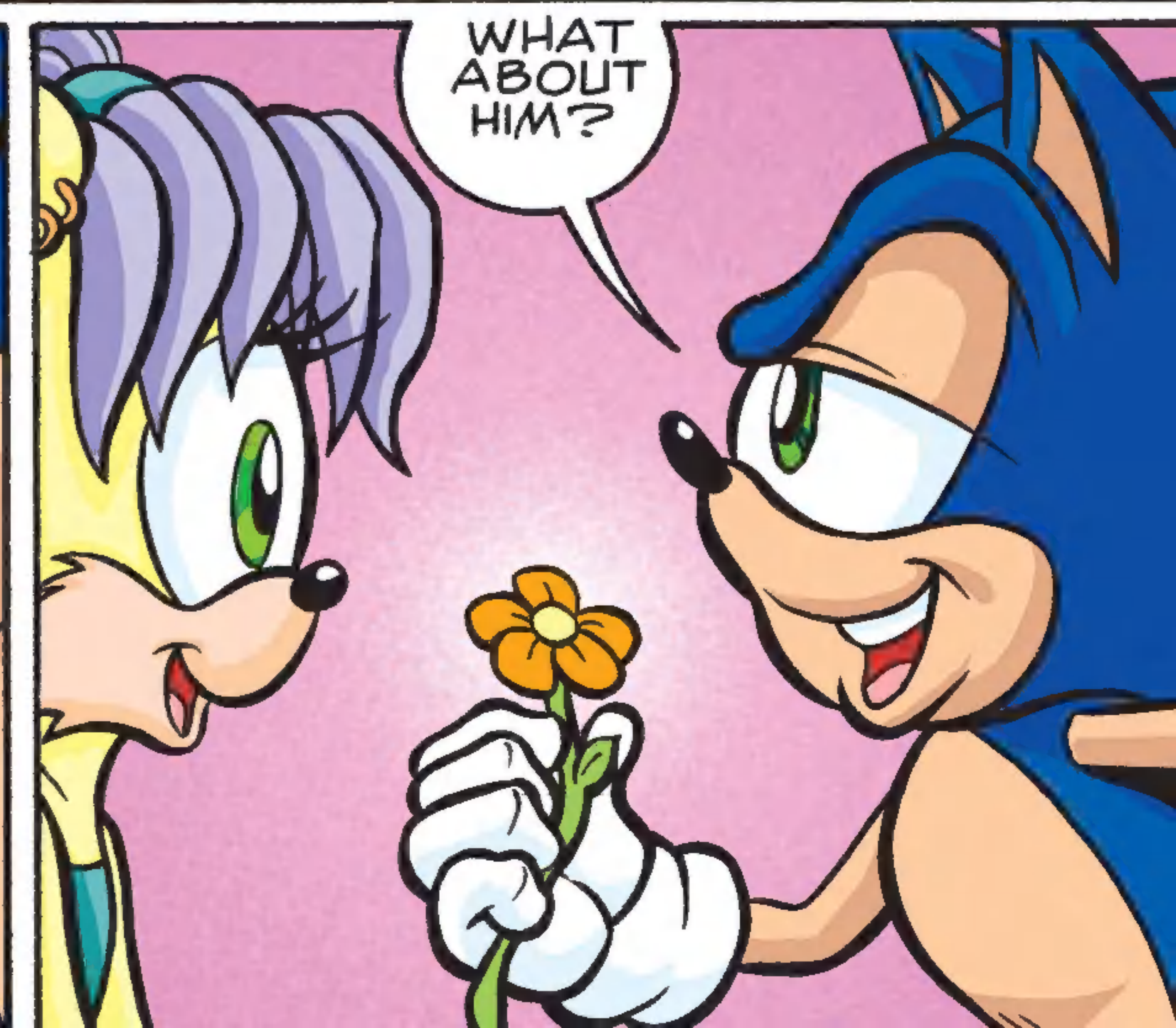
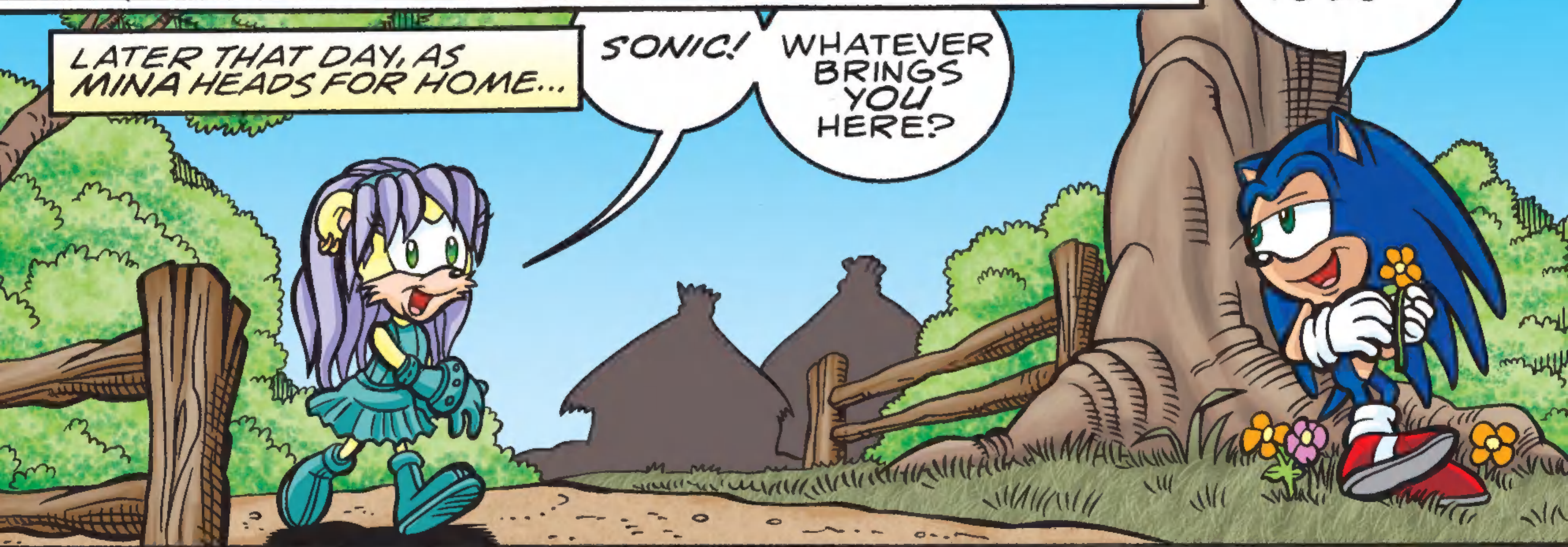
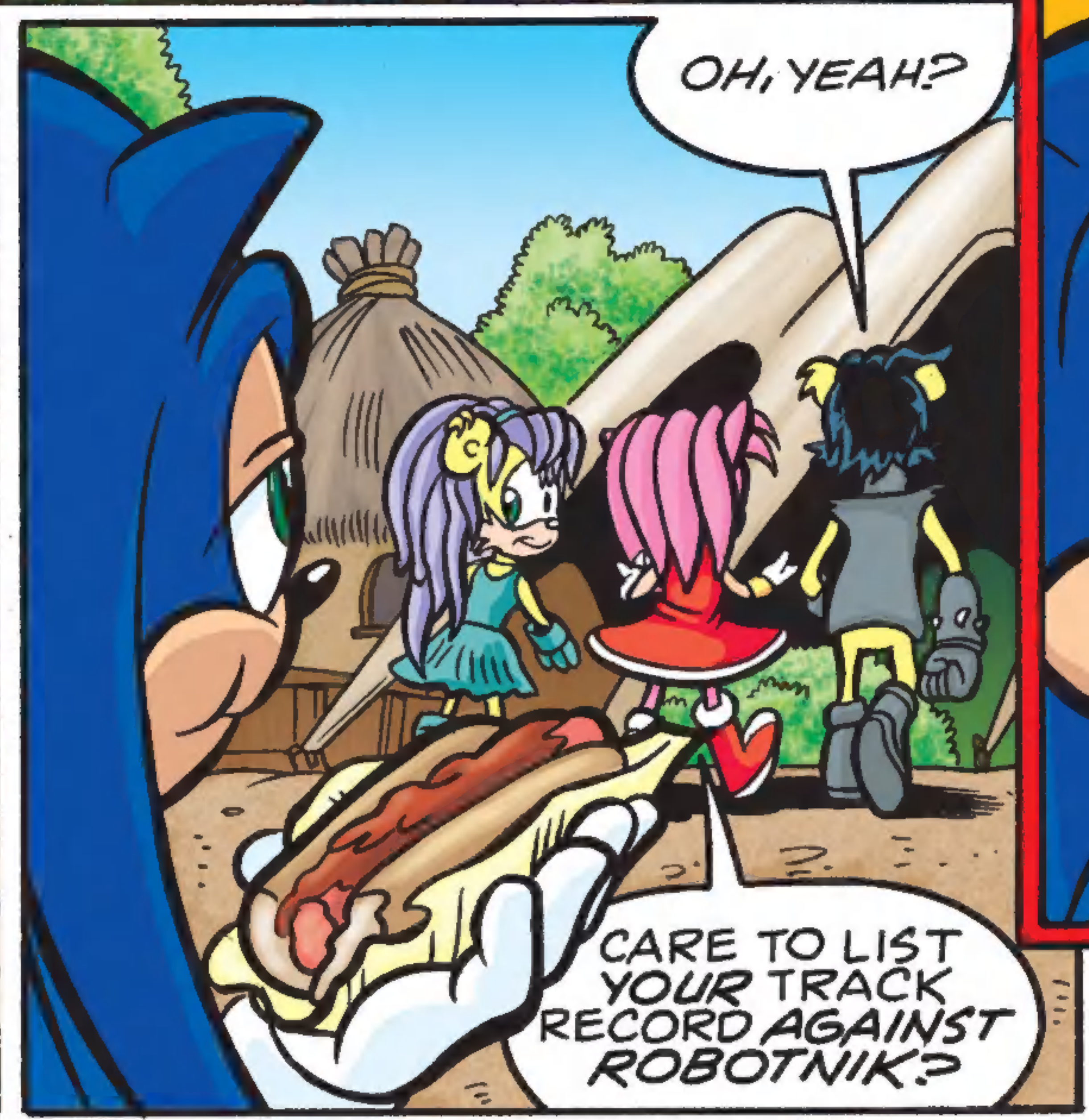
HERO TO ZERO IN NO TIME AT ALL



SPECIAL THANKS TO
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MEANWHILE, A TIME ZONE OR TWO AWAY IN ONE OF THE TRENDIER ESTABLISHMENTS LOCATED UPTOWN IN STATION SQUARE, WE FIND AN UNLIKELY CUSTOMER MEETING WITH A MORE UPSCALE PATRON...

SO, LAYKEN, YOU FINALLY BREAKING DOWN AND LETTING ME HAVE A GO AT THE ANGEL ISLAND STASH?

NOT JUST YET, NACK! THE MERCHANDISE YOU SPEAK OF IS STILL TOO HIGH-PROFILE!

AND HOW DO YOU PLAN ON EXTRICATING THE GEMS OFF THE ISLAND?

THE LARGEST--NOT TO MENTION ONLY KNOWN--SUPPLY OF CHAOS EMERALDS--

--AND YOU DON'T THINK THAT'S WORTH GOING AFTER?

THEY HAPPEN TO BE HEAVILY-GUARDED!

ESPECIALLY NOW THAT THEY HAVE BEEN REBUILDING THE ISLAND AFTER ROBOTNIK HAD HIS FUN.*

*EDITORIAL NOTE: SEE ISSUES 138 THROUGH 141 FOR THE FULL STORY.

WE'RE ONLY TALKING ONE ECHIDNA WHO KEEPS WATCH!

ONE ECHIDNA PLUS BACKUP!

BACKUP?! WHAT DO YOU KNOW THAT I DON'T?

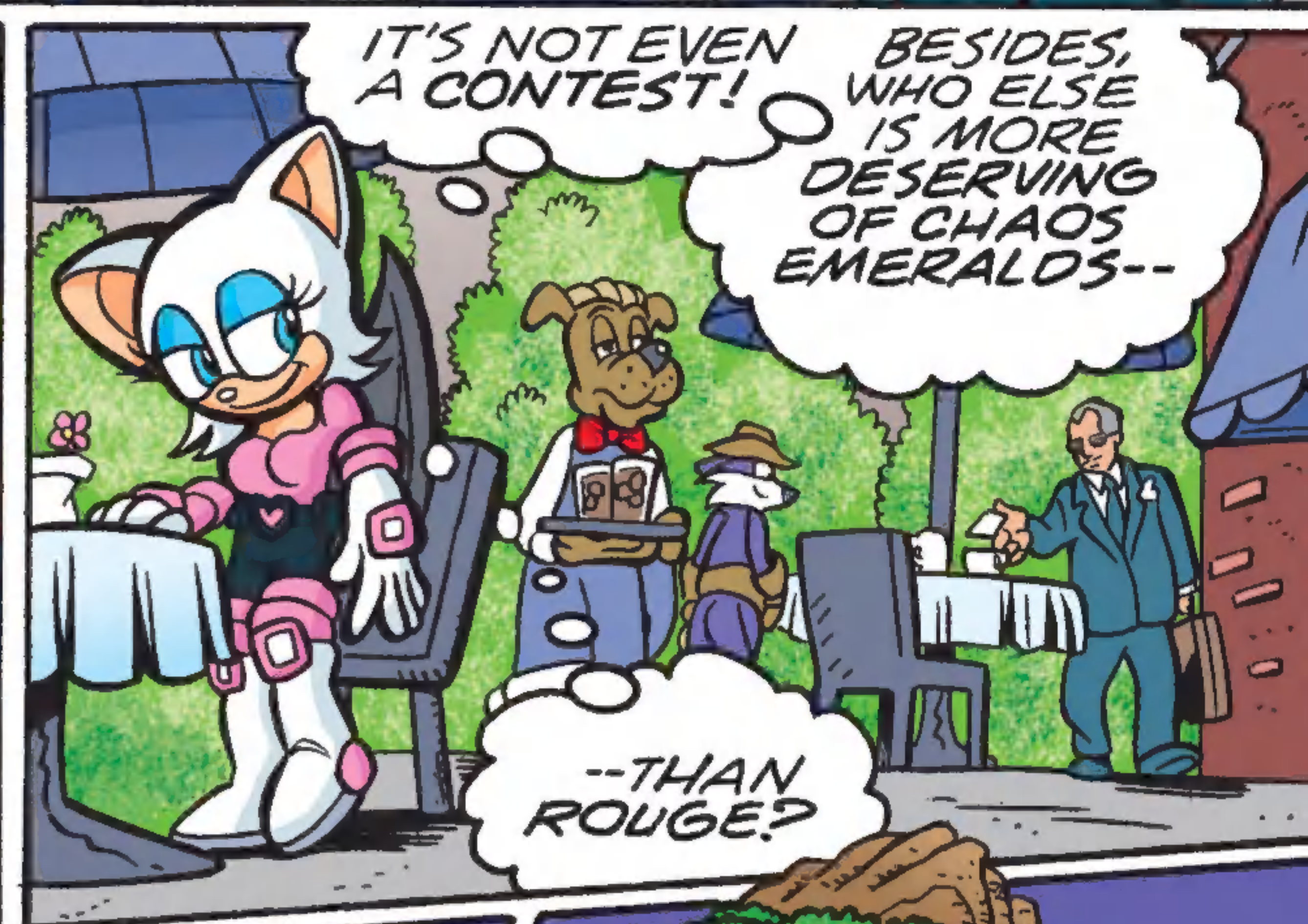
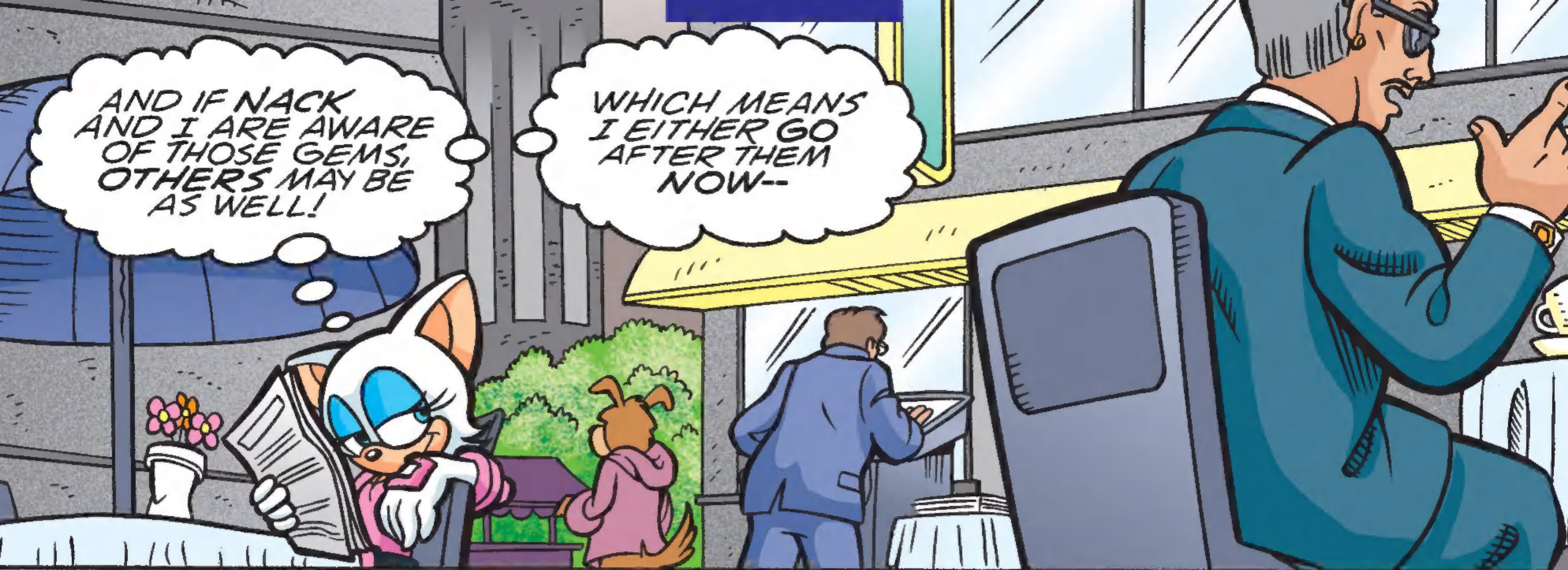
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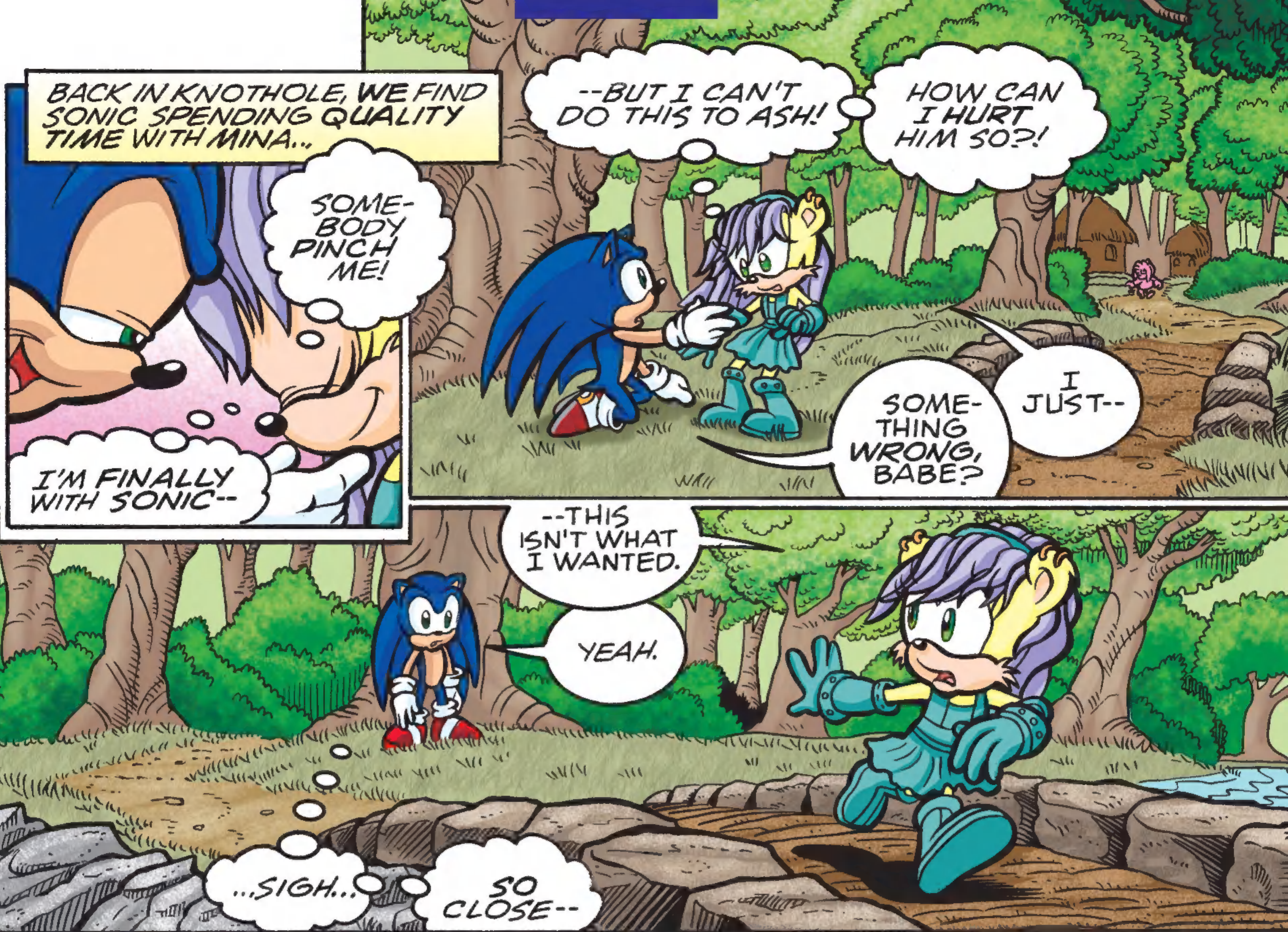
--BUT I HEAR THINGS!

I'D RATHER GO AFTER A SURE THING DOWN IN CAT COUNTRY THAN AN UNKNOWN ON A FLOATING ISLAND!

YOU'RE BREAKING MY HEART!

--BUT DEFINITELY NOT MINE!





BACK IN KNOTHOLE, WE FIND SONIC SPENDING QUALITY TIME WITH MINA...

--BUT I CAN'T DO THIS TO ASH!

HOW CAN I HURT HIM SO?!

SOME-BODY PINCH ME!

I'M FINALLY WITH SONIC--

SOME-THING WRONG, BABE?

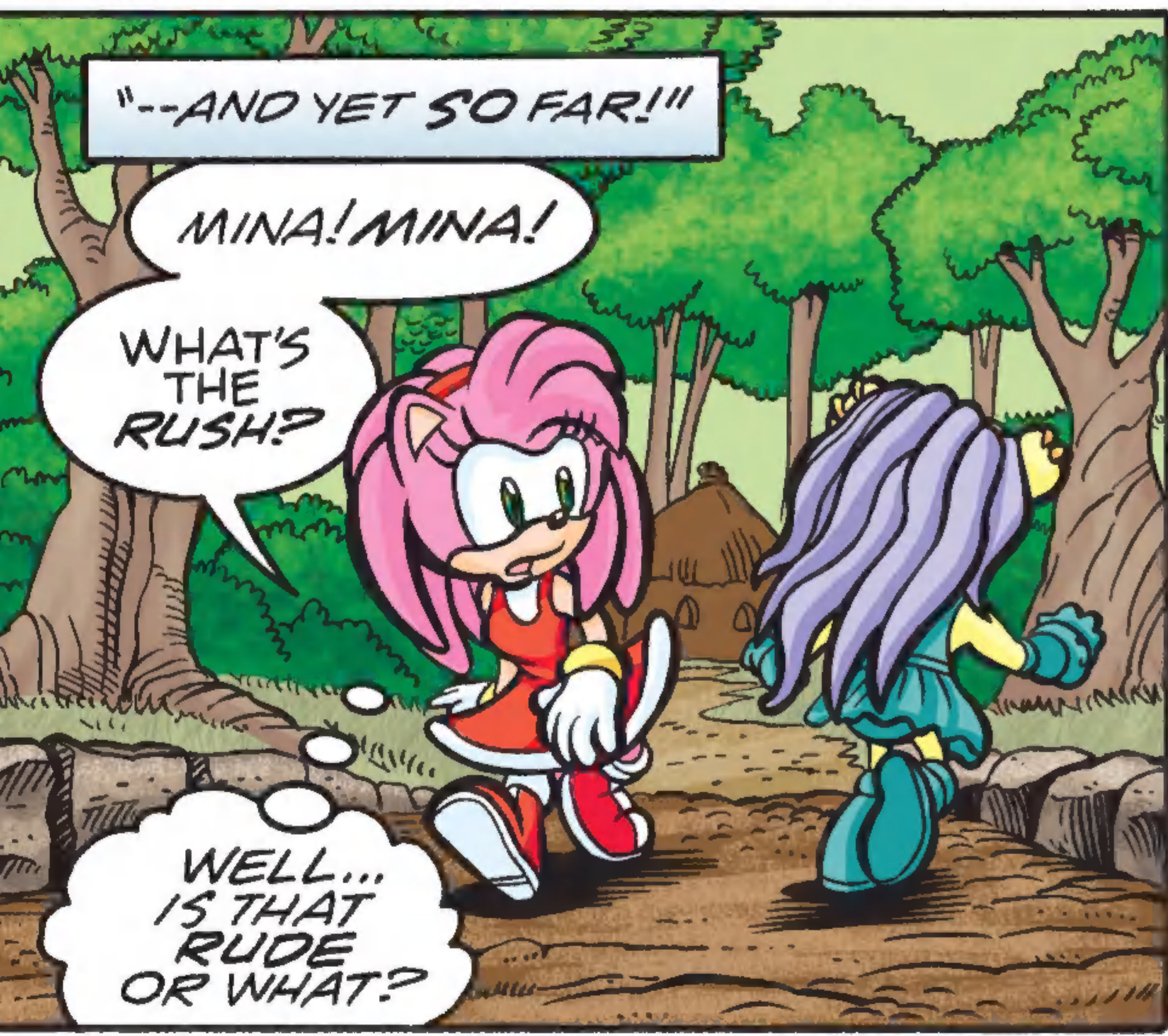
I JUST--

--THIS ISN'T WHAT I WANTED.

YEAH.

...SIGH...

SO CLOSE--

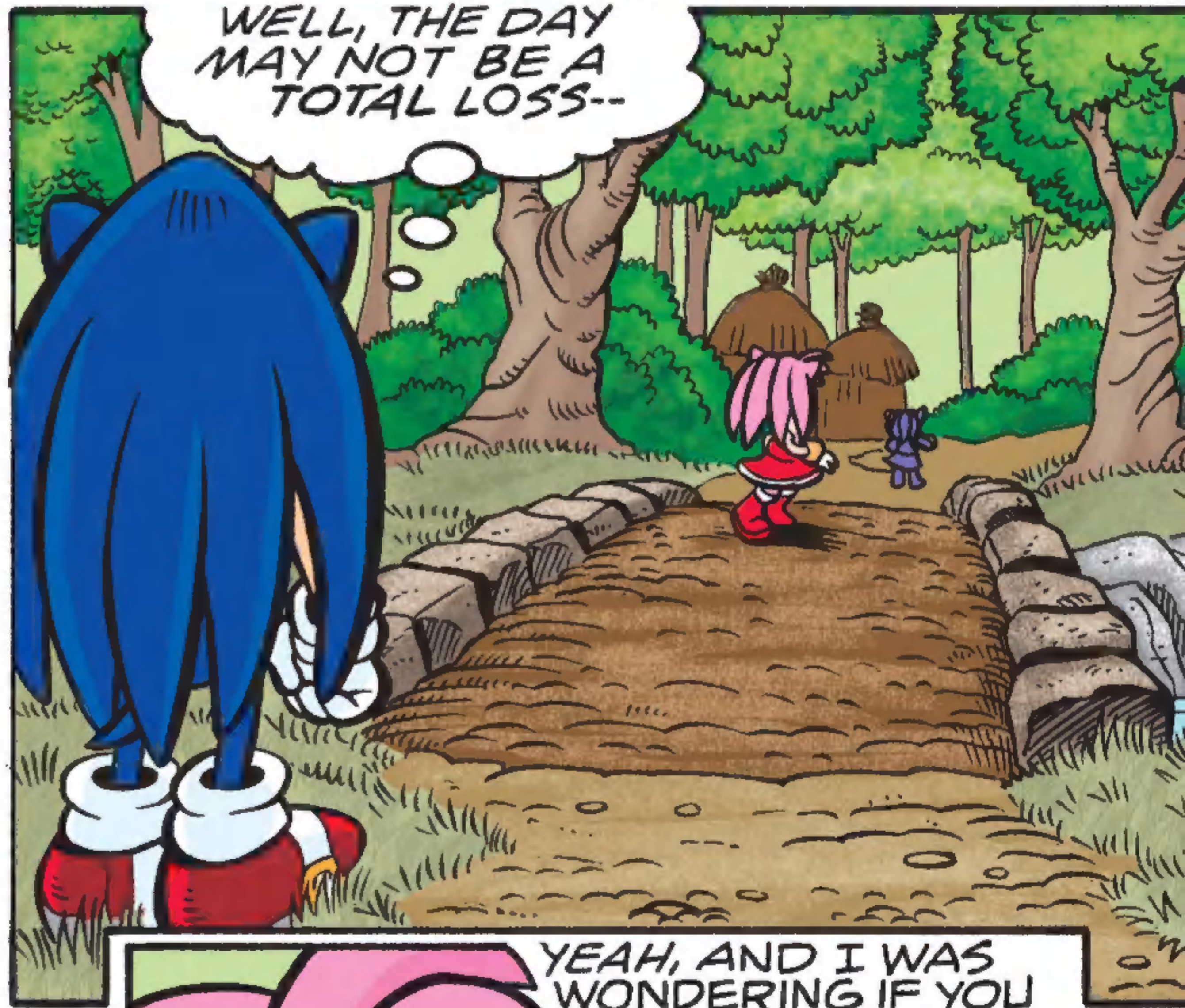


"--AND YET SO FAR!!"

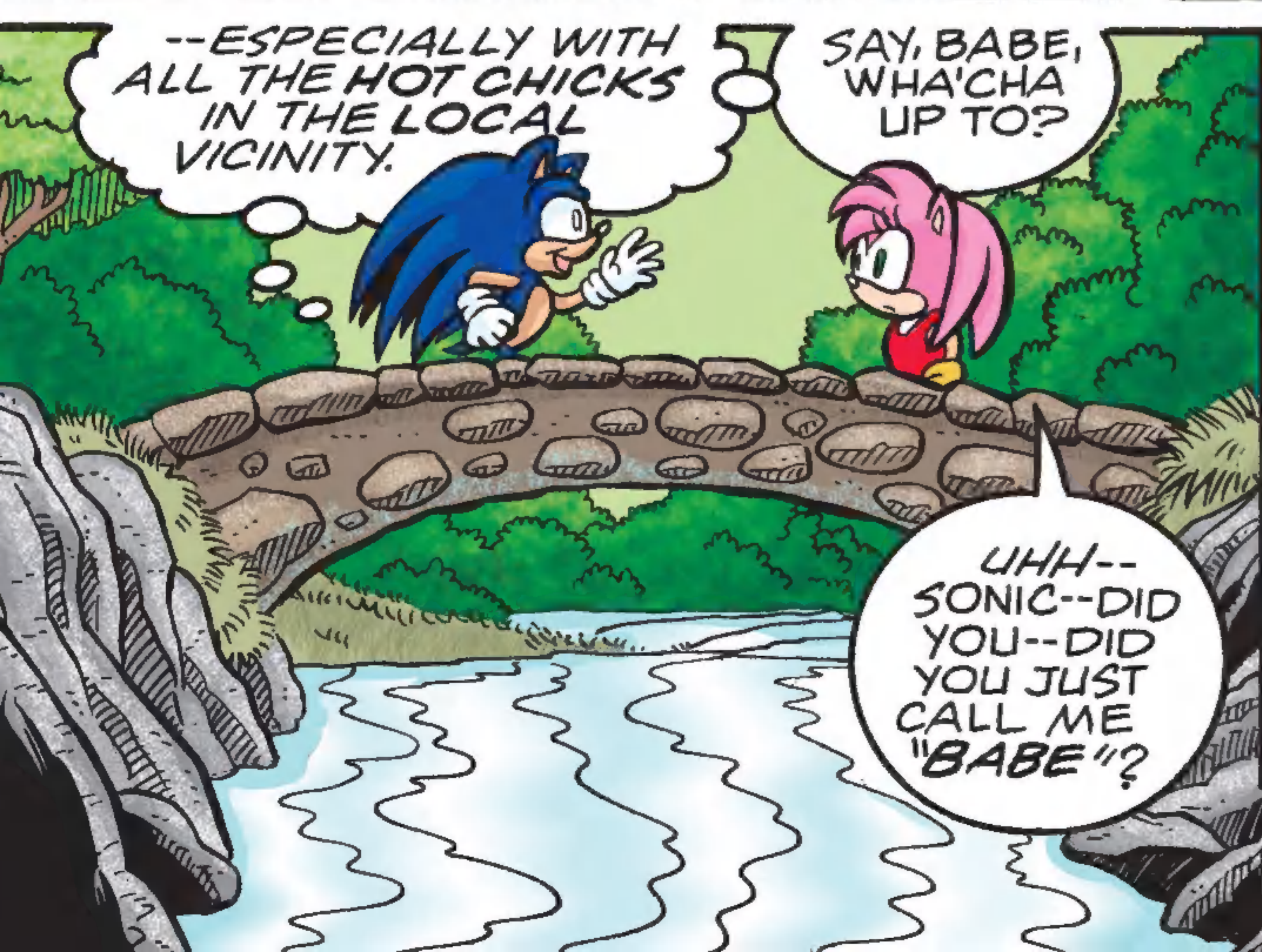
MINA! MINA!

WHAT'S THE RUSH?

WELL... IS THAT RUDE OR WHAT?



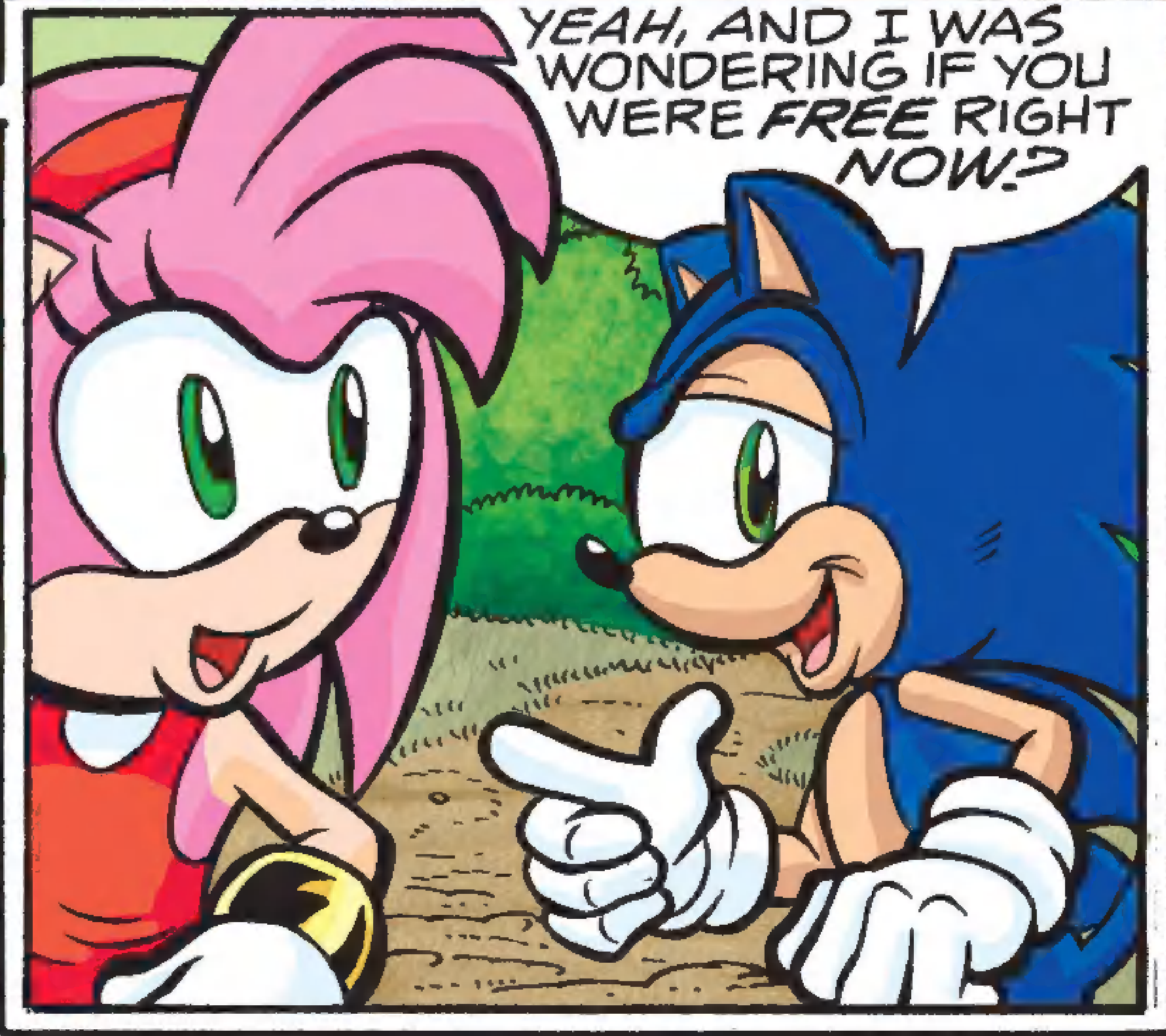
WELL, THE DAY MAY NOT BE A TOTAL LOSS--



--ESPECIALLY WITH ALL THE HOT CHICKS IN THE LOCAL VICINITY.

SAY, BABE, WHA'CHA UP TO?

UHH-- SONIC--DID YOU--DID YOU JUST CALL ME "BABE"?



YEAH, AND I WAS WONDERING IF YOU WERE FREE RIGHT NOW?!

SEVERAL HOURS LATER, AS THE SUN BEGINS TO SET...

IT'S BEEN HOURS SINCE SONIC WAS SUPPOSED TO HAVE COME OVER!

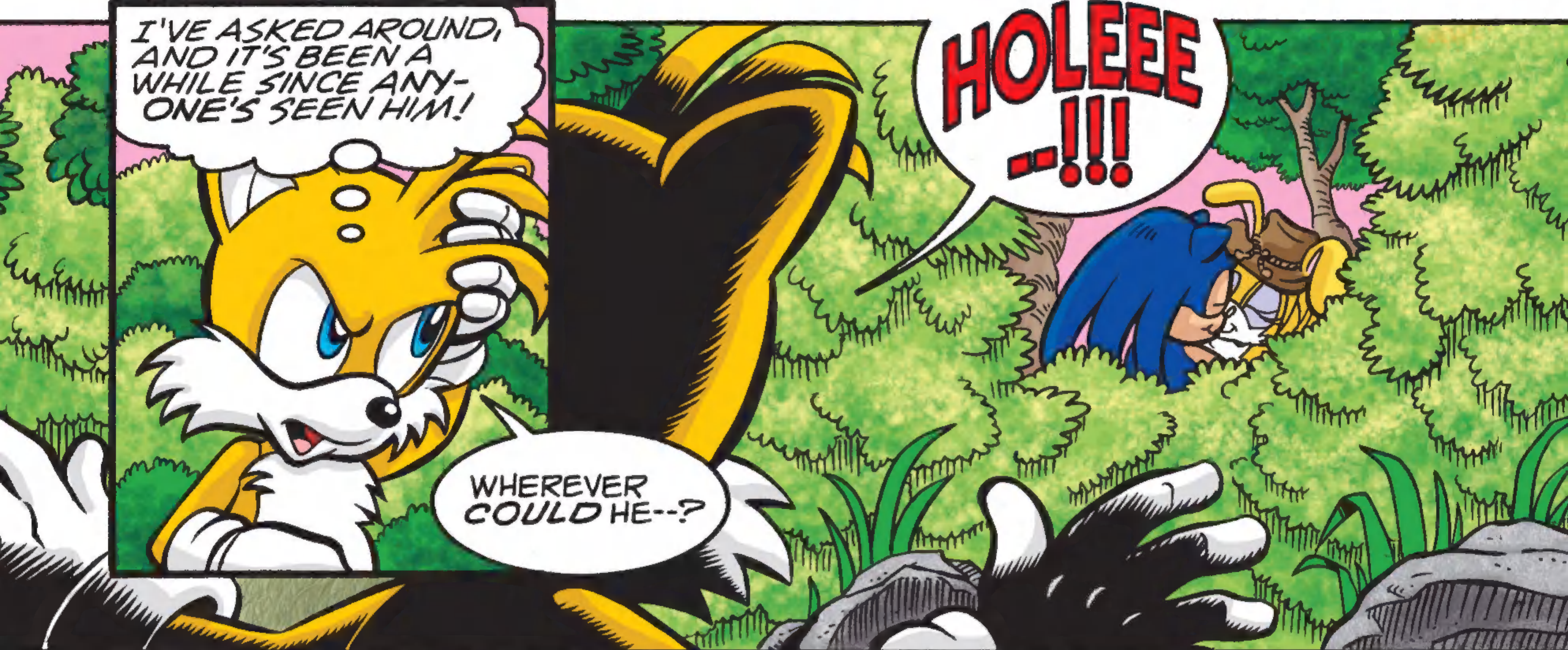
IT'S NOT LIKE HIM TO PULL A NO-SHOW!



I'VE ASKED AROUND, AND IT'S BEEN A WHILE SINCE ANYONE'S SEEN HIM!

HOLEEE...!!!

WHEREVER COULD HE--?



AFTER ANTOINE AND I BROKE UP, I DIDN'T THINK ANYONE WOULD BE INTERESTED IN ME!

A BABE LIKE YOU? WHAT'S NOT TO LIKE?

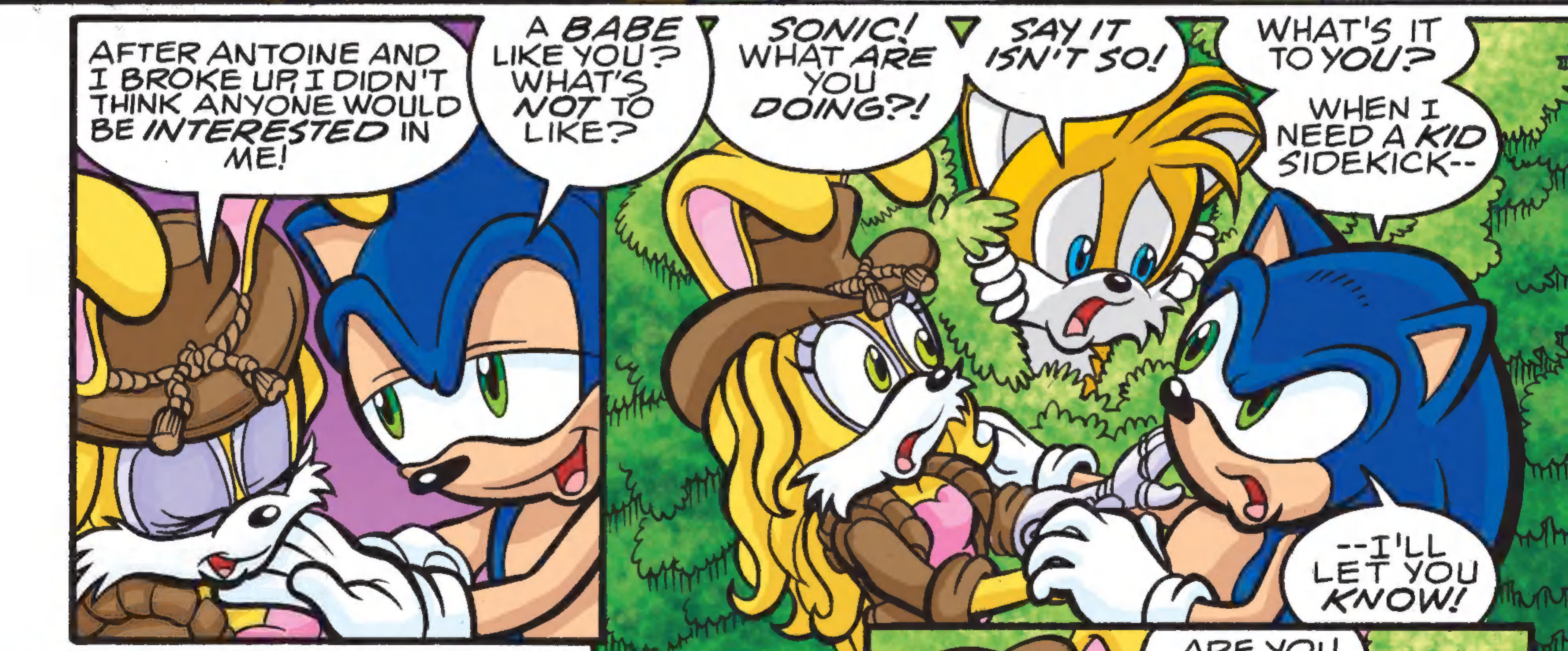
SONIC! WHAT ARE YOU DOING?!

SAY IT ISN'T SO!

WHAT'S IT TO YOU?

WHEN I NEED A KID SIDEKICK--

--I'LL LET YOU KNOW!

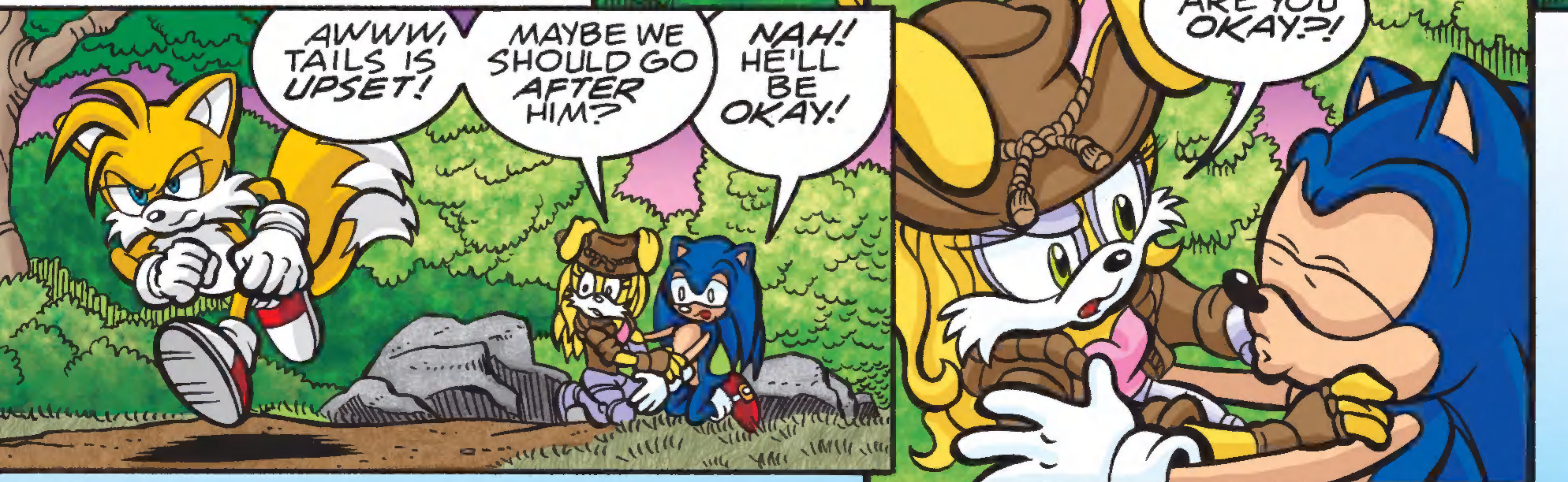


AWWW, TAILS IS UPSET!

MAYBE WE SHOULD GO AFTER HIM?

NAH! HE'LL BE OKAY!

ARE YOU OKAY?!



HOURS LATER...

UHH...
SONIC...
?

YEAH,
BABE?

OUR LITTLE NAP
WENT A LITTLE
LONG. THIS DAY IS
LIKE A WEIRD
DREAM.

HEY, IT'S
JUST A NAP,
BUT IF IT'S A
DREAM--

--IT'S A
GREAT
ONE!

I'M GOING
HOME! AND
YOU'D BETTER
TALK TO
TAILS.

IT
WOULDN'T
DO TO BE
SEEN OUT
LATE LIKE
THIS!

WELL, DON'T BE
A STRANGER!

GOOD LUCK
WITH YOUR
PARENTS.

NOW THIS
IS THE
LIFE!

FAME
--CHICKS--
AND ALL THE
CHILI-DOGS A
HEDGEHOG
COULD
WANT!

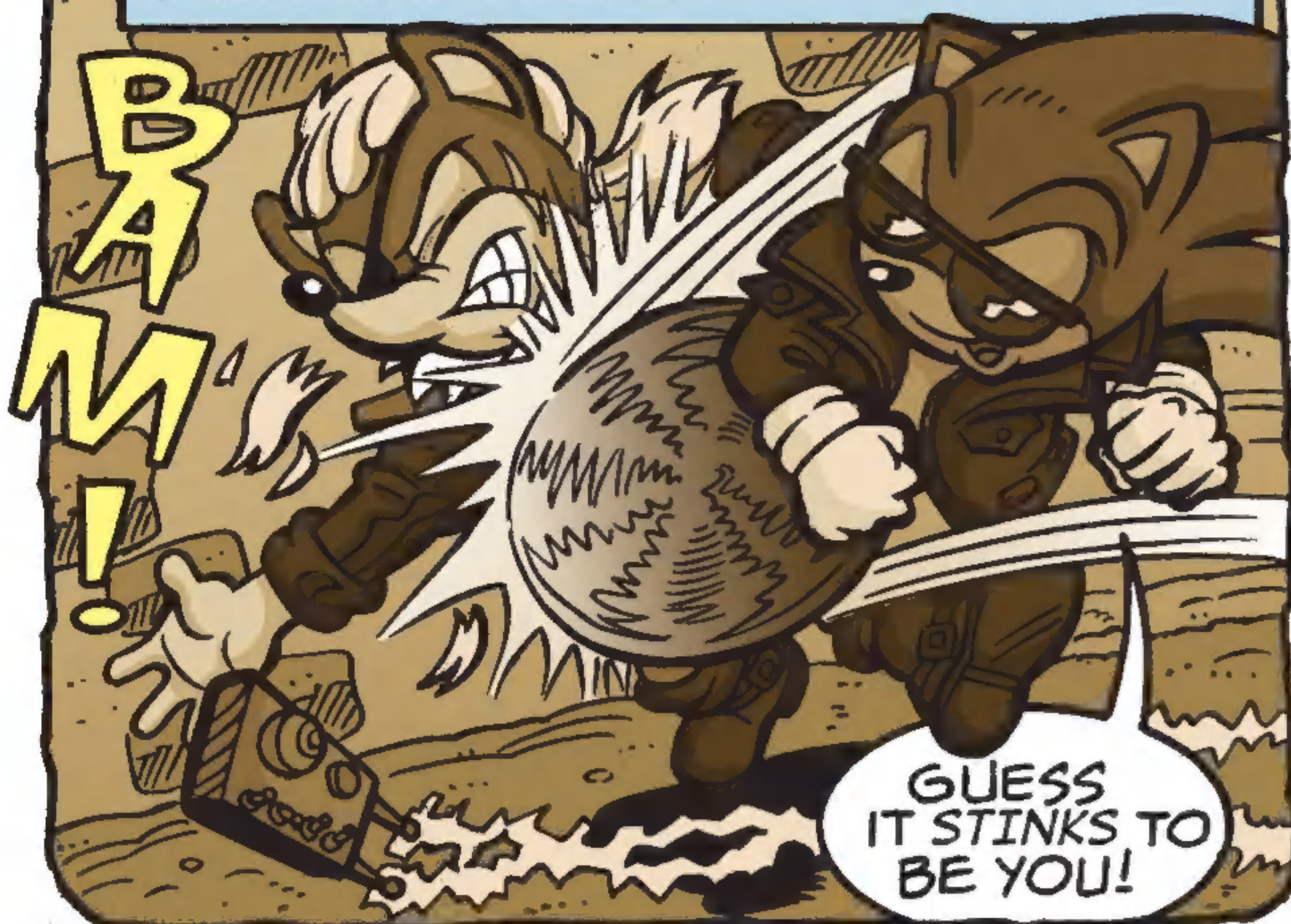
WHAT
MORE
TO LIFE IS
THERE?

"WHO COULD HAVE THUNK ALL THIS
STARTED OUT AS A PLAN TO GET
RID OF ME..."

ZAY
GOODBYE,
YOU BLUE-
SPINED
OAF!

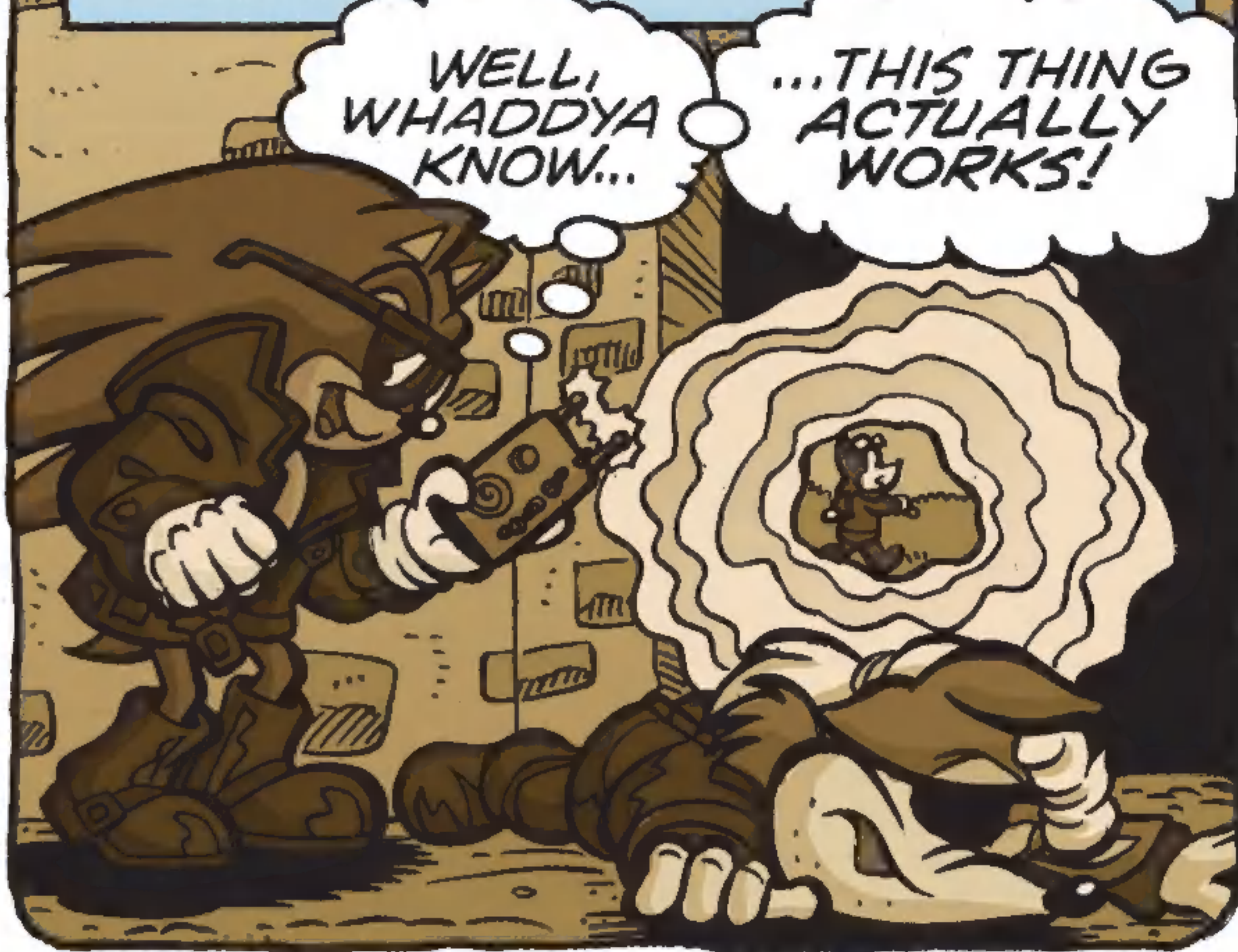
ONCE I PUSH
ZIS BUTTON,
I'LL ELIMINATE
MY GREATEST
ENEMY
FOREVAIRE!

"PATCH WAS GONNA SEND MY TAIL TO THE MOBIUS WE INVADED BEFORE, COURTESY OF EVIL ROTOR'S LATEST DOO-DAD, BUT..."



GUESS IT STINKS TO BE YOU!

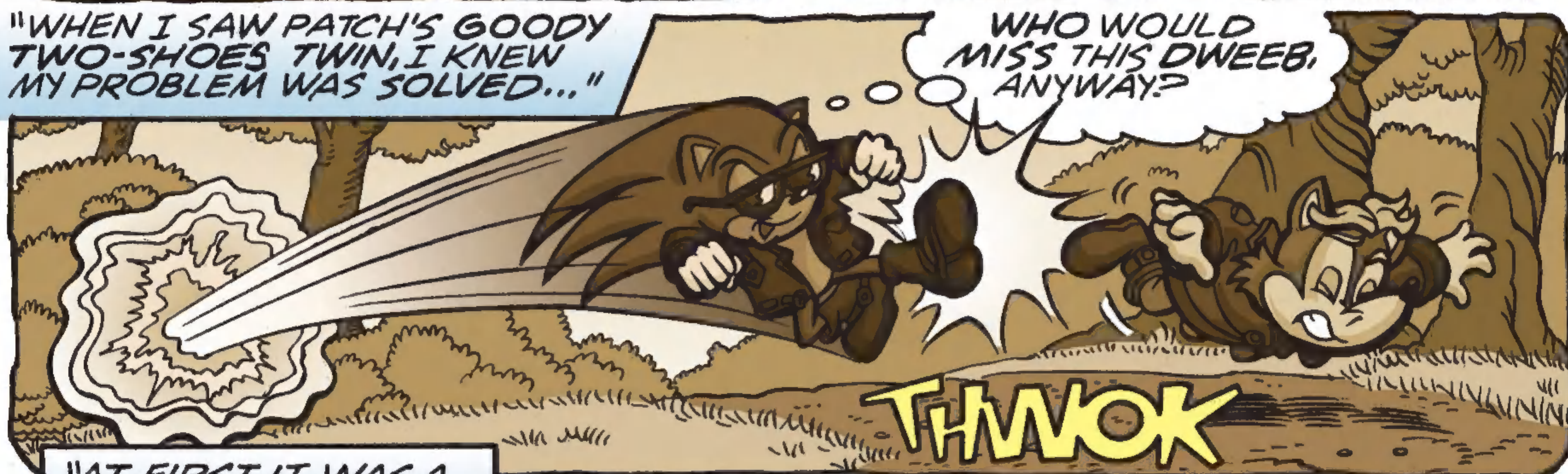
"SINCE I FIGURED PATCH WOULD TRY TO FRY MY TAIL AGAIN, I DECIDED TO FIGHT FIRE WITH FIRE..."



WELL, WHADDYA KNOW...

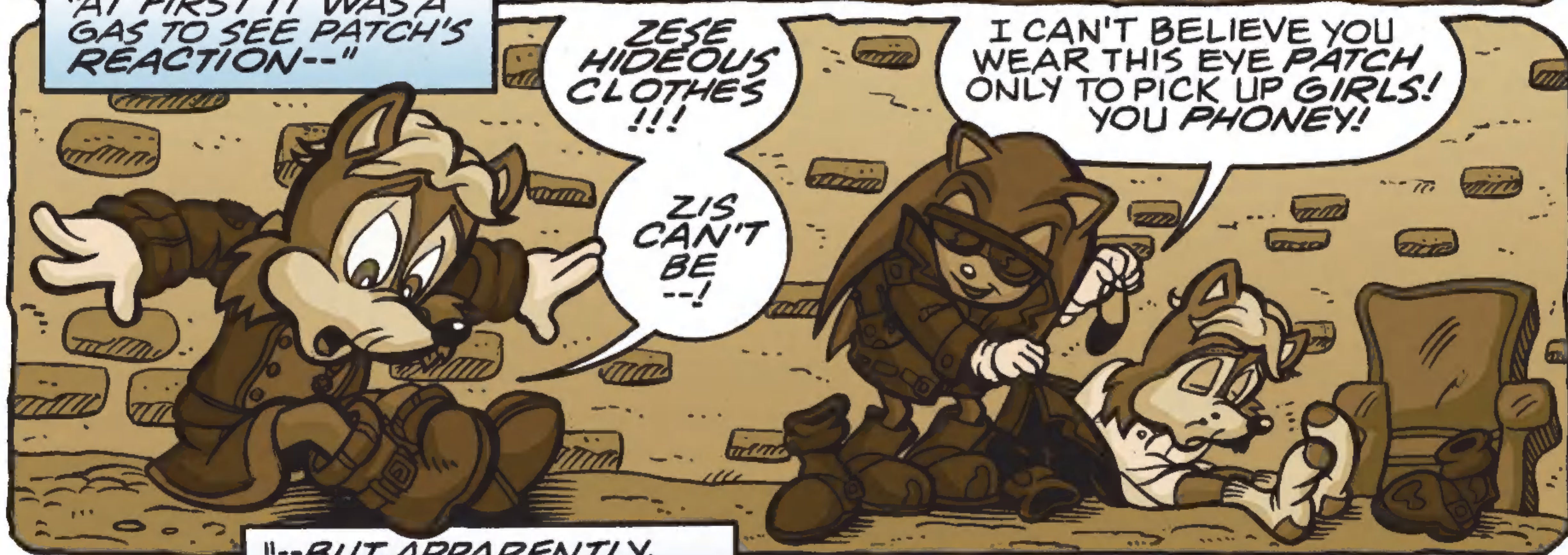
...THIS THING ACTUALLY WORKS!

"WHEN I SAW PATCH'S GOODY TWO-SHOES TWIN, I KNEW MY PROBLEM WAS SOLVED..."



WHO WOULD MISS THIS DWEEB, ANYWAY?

"AT FIRST IT WAS A GAS TO SEE PATCH'S REACTION--"



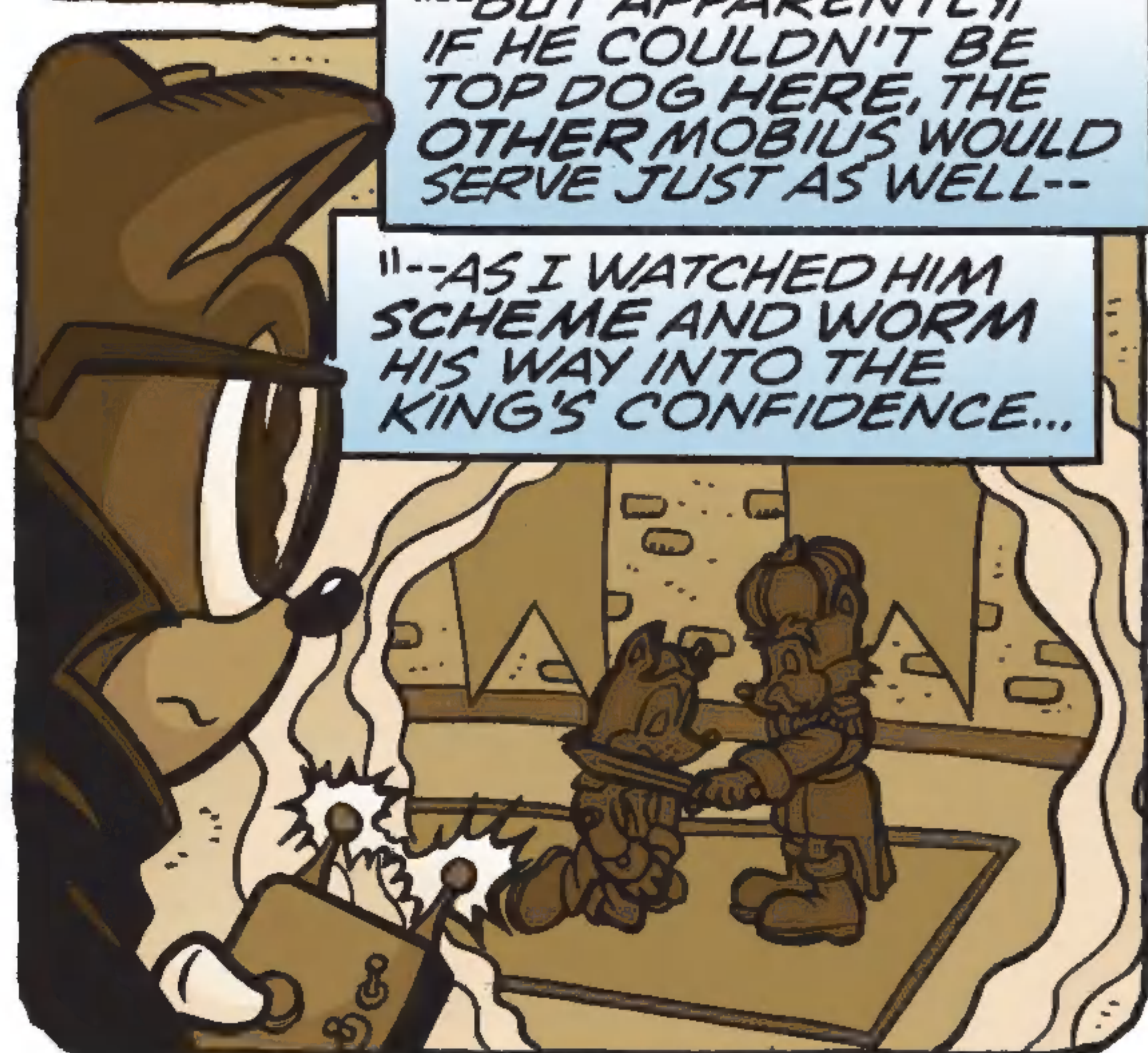
ZESE HIDEOUS CLOTHES !!!

ZIS CAN'T BE --!

I CAN'T BELIEVE YOU WEAR THIS EYE PATCH ONLY TO PICK UP GIRLS! YOU PHONEY!

"--BUT APPARENTLY, IF HE COULDN'T BE TOP DOG HERE, THE OTHER MOBIUS WOULD SERVE JUST AS WELL--"

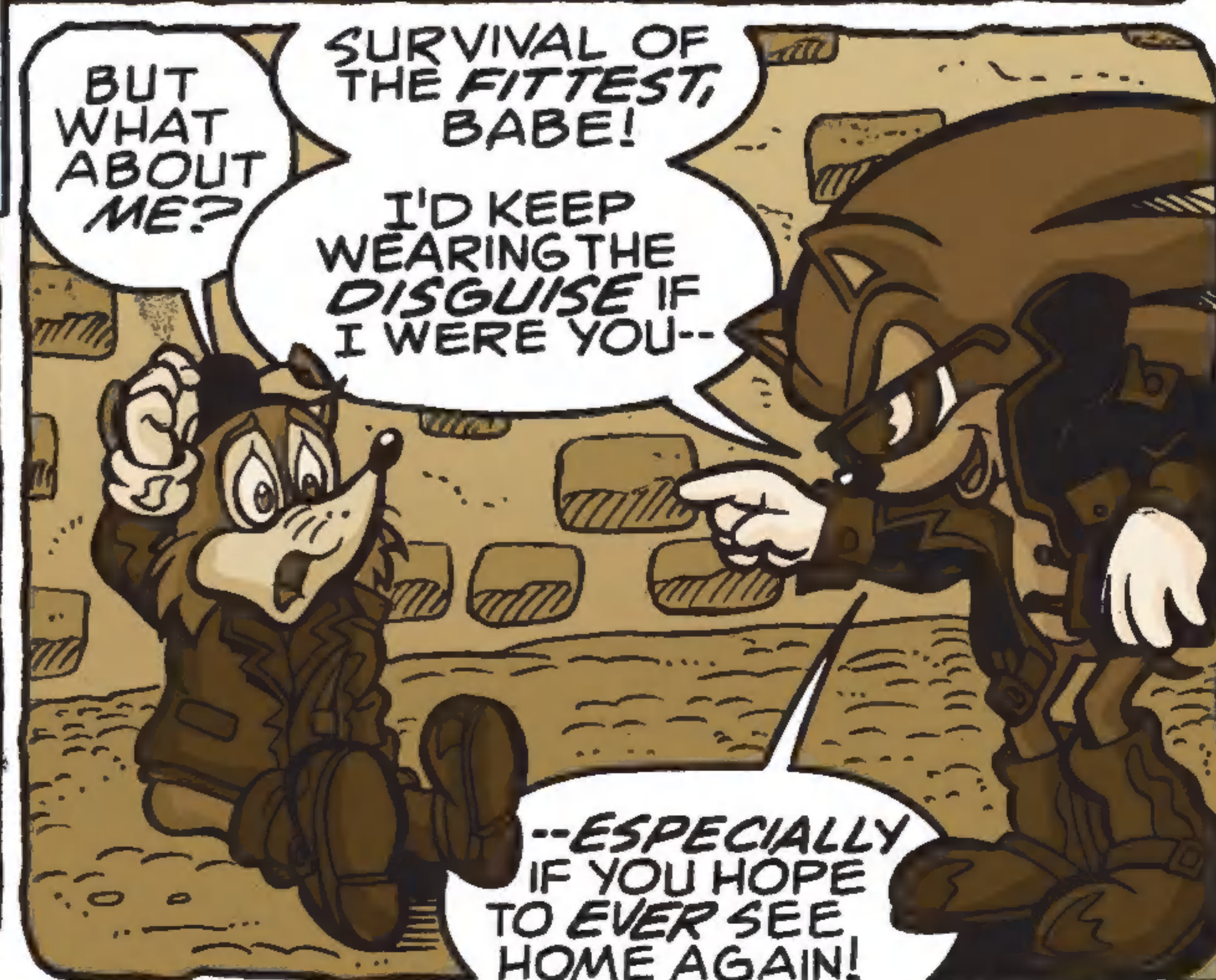
"--AS I WATCHED HIM SCHEME AND WORM HIS WAY INTO THE KING'S CONFIDENCE..."



BUT WHAT ABOUT ME?

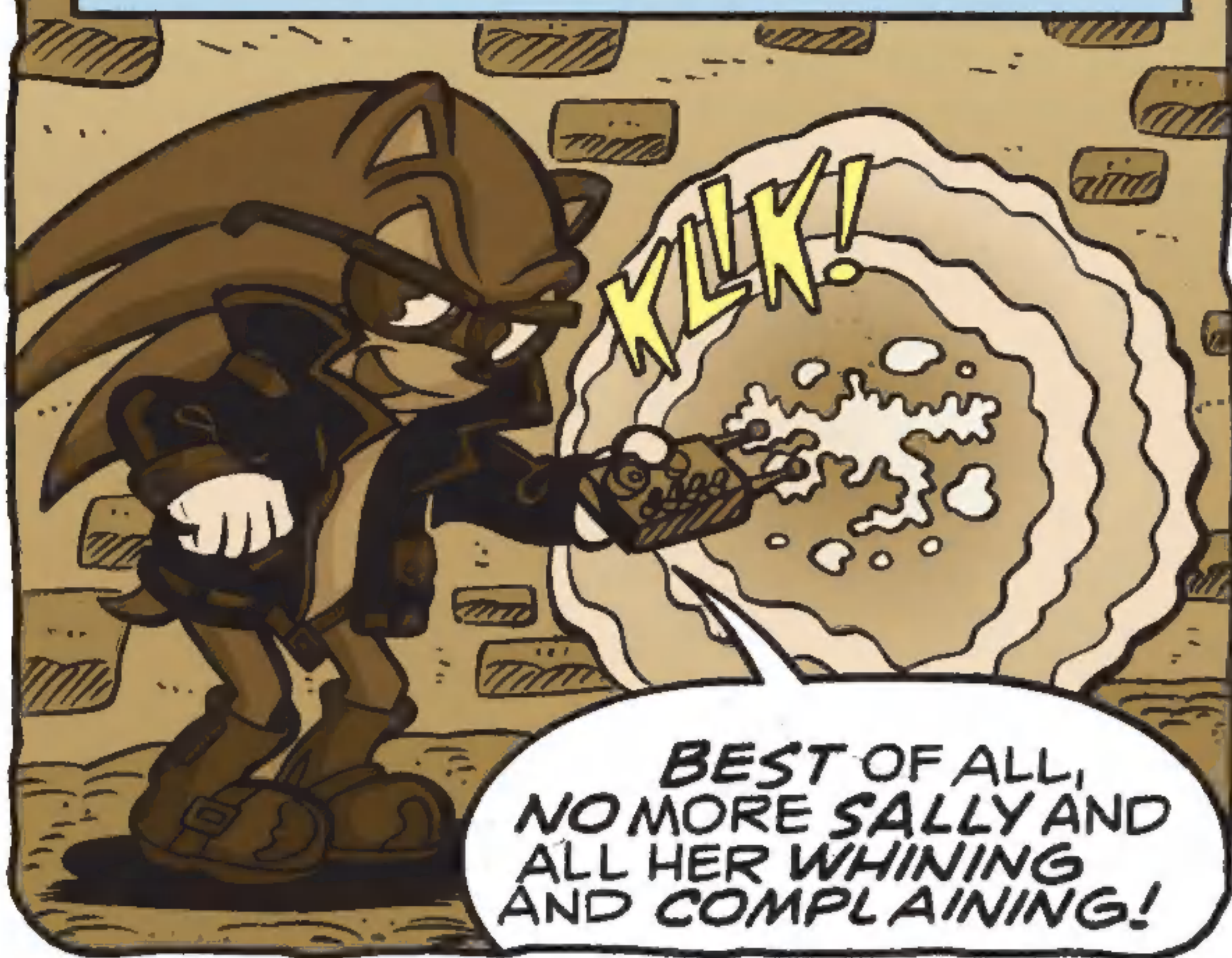
SURVIVAL OF THE FITTEST, BABE!

I'D KEEP WEARING THE DISGUISE IF I WERE YOU--



--ESPECIALLY IF YOU HOPE TO EVER SEE HOME AGAIN!

"AS TIME PASSED, IT TURNED OUT THAT PATCH FELL INTO A REAL SWEET DEAL, SO I FIGURED, WHY SHOULD HE BE THE ONLY ONE TO MAKE OUT..."



BEST OF ALL, NO MORE SALLY AND ALL HER WHINING AND COMPLAINING!

AND WOULD'JA BELIEVE--

--I HIT THE JACKPOT!



GOTTA FINISH DEACTIVATING ROB-BUTTS' LANDMINES BEFORE SOMEONE GETS HURT--

--OR WORSE

WHEN OPPORTUNITY KNOCKS, YA SEIZE IT, I ALWAYS SAY!

HE TAKES MY PLACE HERE...

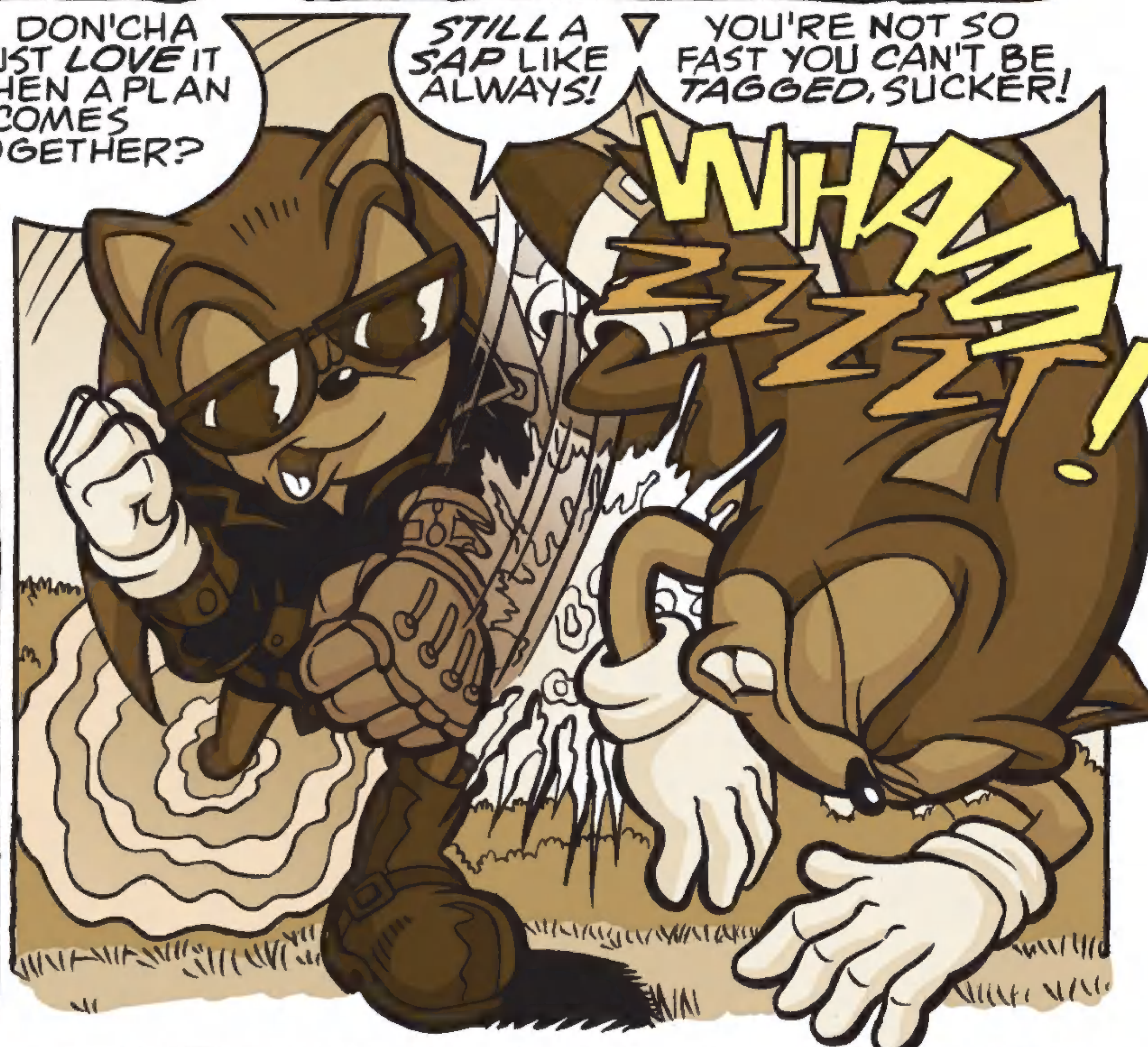
...WHILE I TAKE OVER THERE!

DON'CHA JUST LOVE IT WHEN A PLAN COMES TOGETHER?



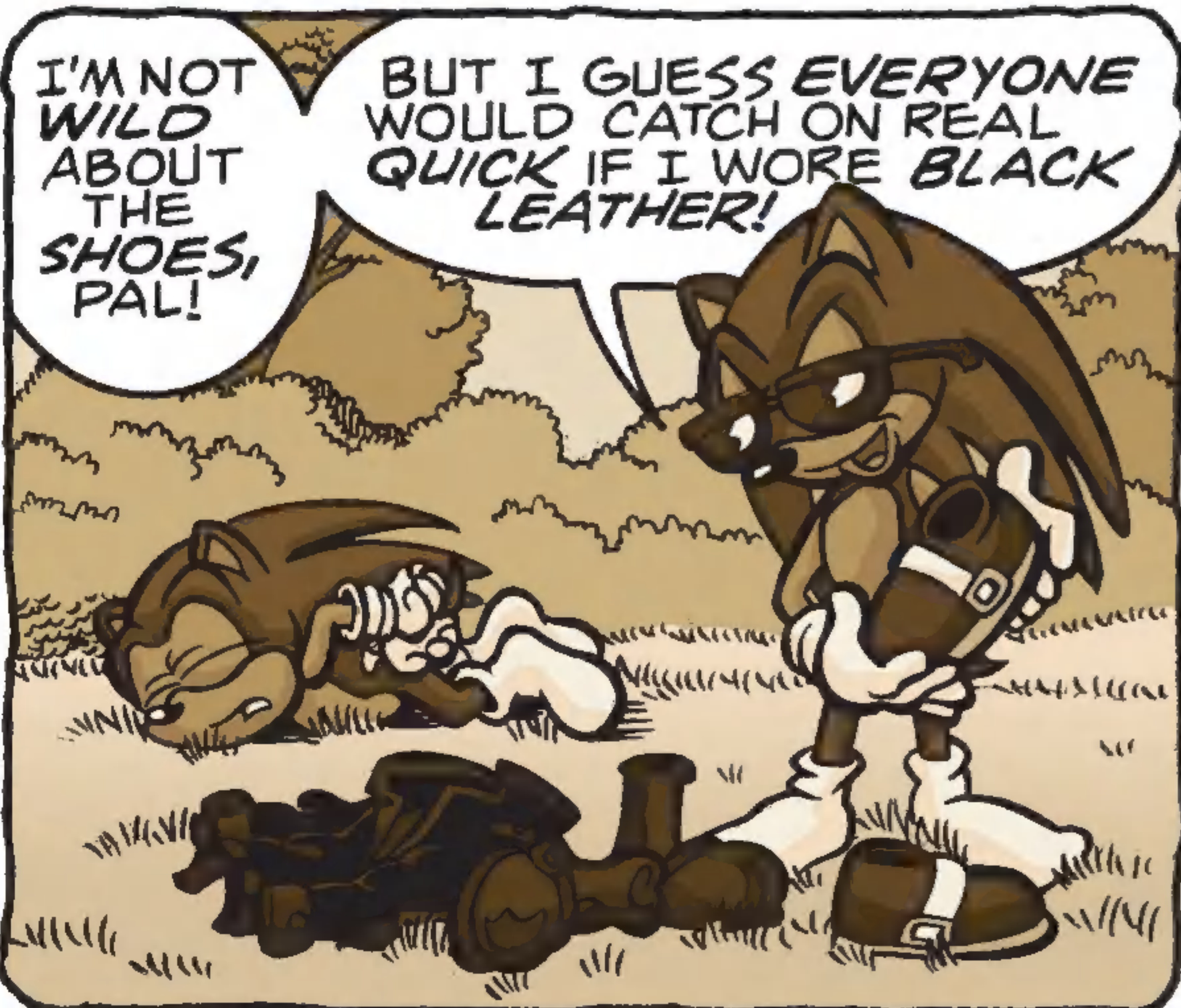
STILL A SAP LIKE ALWAYS!

YOU'RE NOT SO FAST YOU CAN'T BE TAGGED, SUCKER!



I'M NOT WILD ABOUT THE SHOES, PAL!

BUT I GUESS EVERYONE WOULD CATCH ON REAL QUICK IF I WORE BLACK LEATHER!

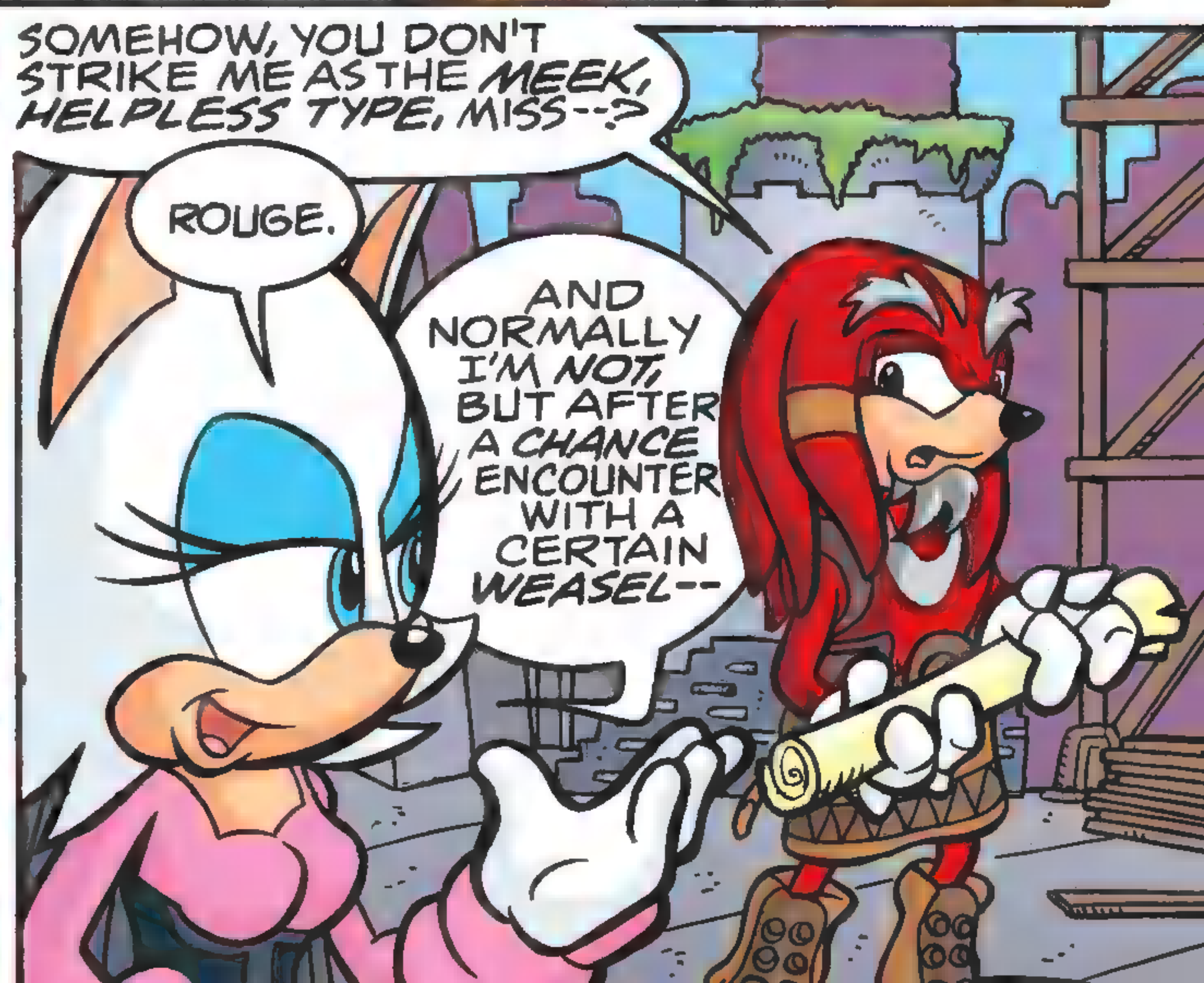
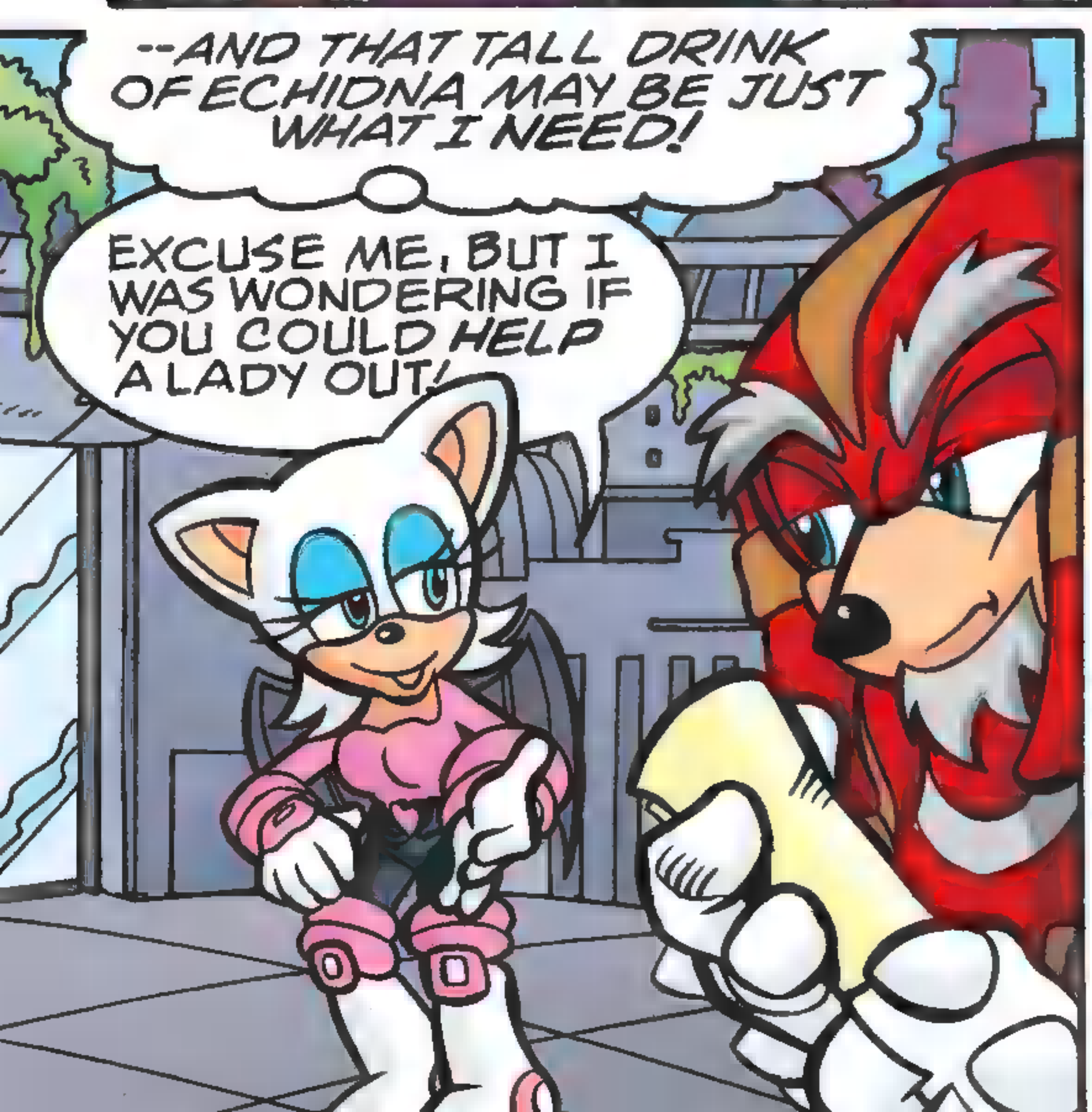
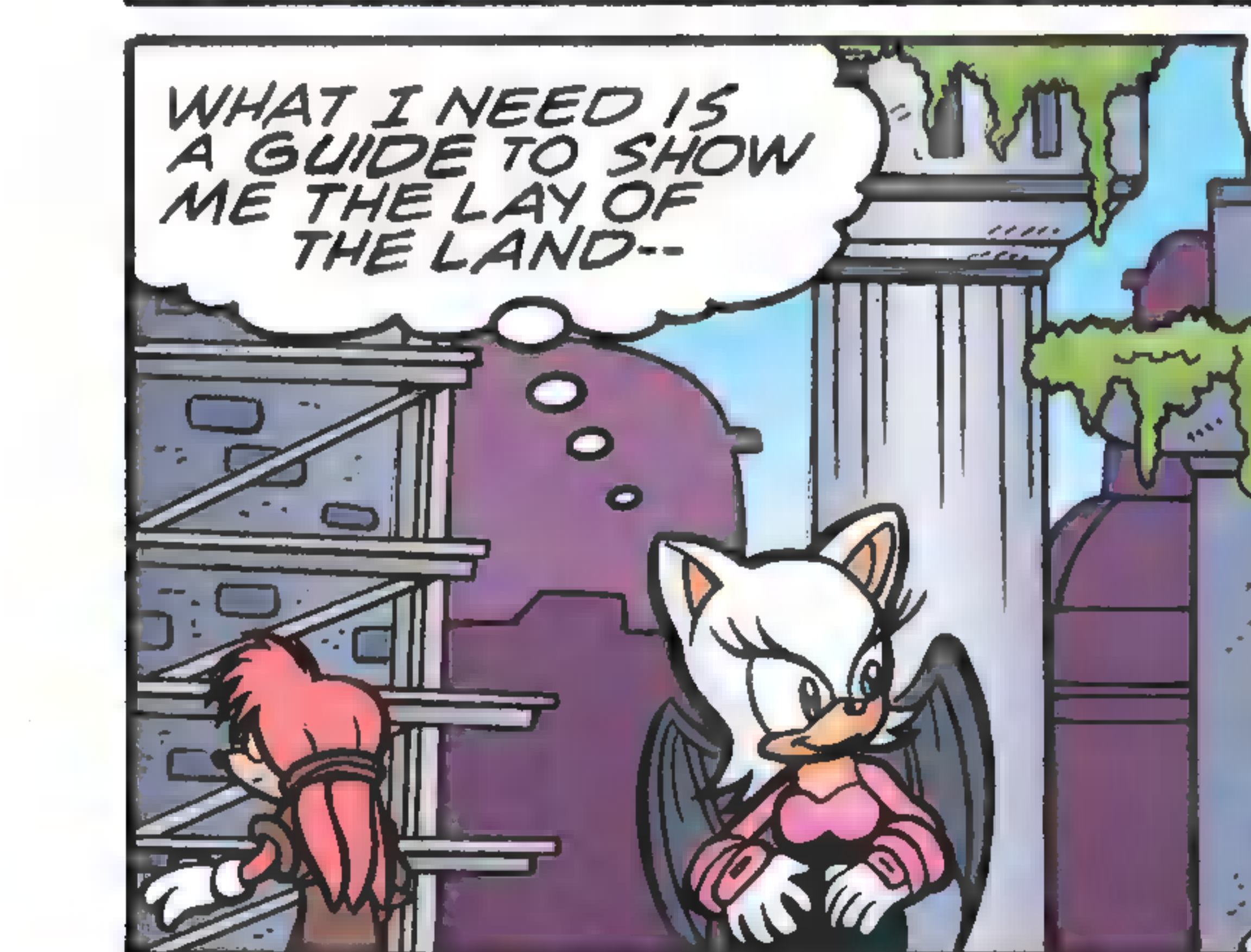
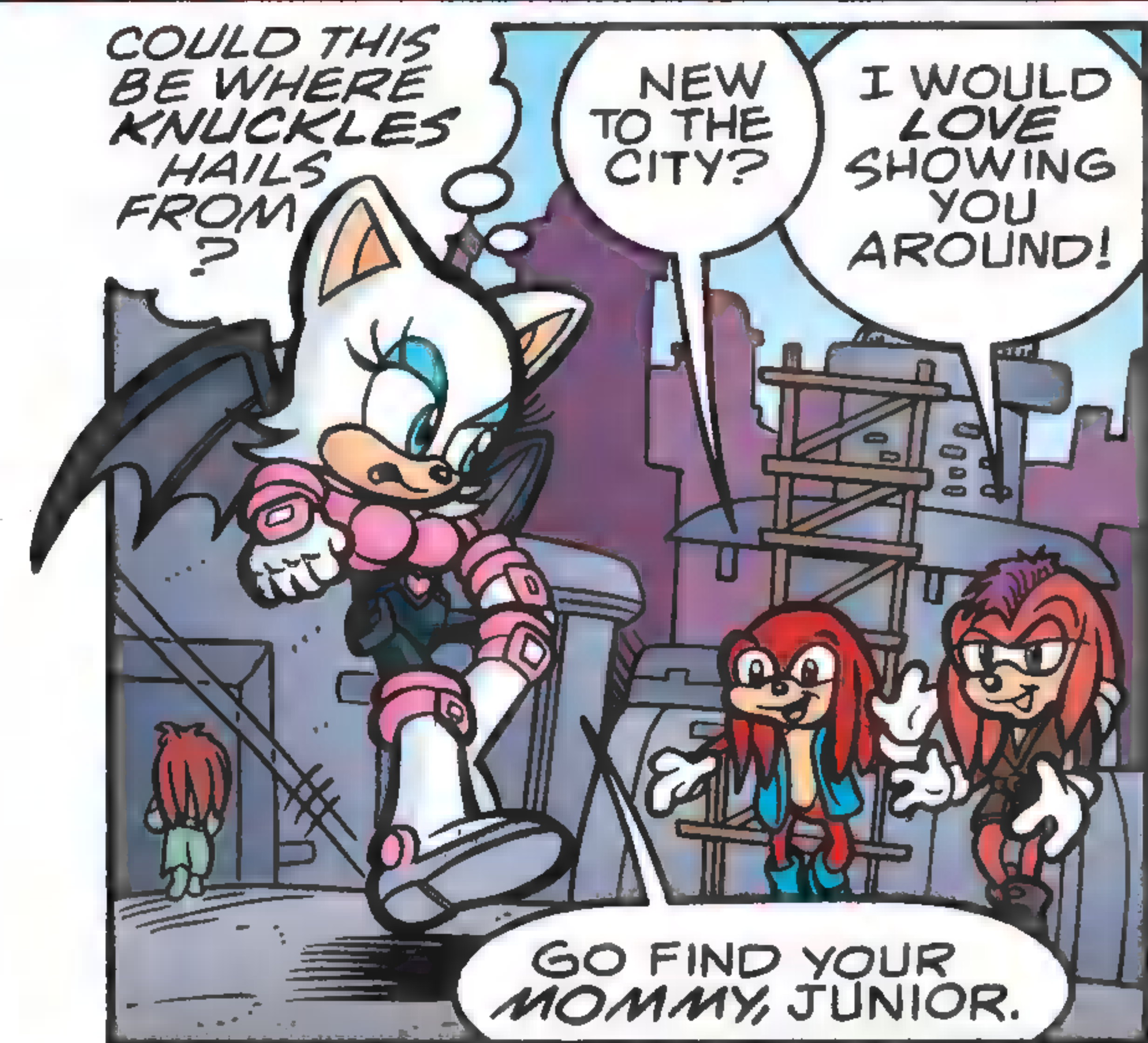


NOW THAT I'M ACCEPTED AS THE REAL DEAL ON THIS MOBIUS--

--WHY WOULD I EVER GO BACK--



--TO THAT BLUNCH O' LAME-OS I USED TO CALL "MY GANG"?



"--THINGS HAVEN'T BEEN THE SAME SINCE."

SINCE BLUNNIE MENTIONED SOMETHING ABOUT SONIC'S PARENTS--

--I'LL GO CHECK OUT WHAT FUN I CAN HAVE THERE!

WHOA!

THAT LOOKS LIKE ONE OF MY DOC'S GIZMOS--

--ONLY NASTIER!

TICK
TICK
TICK

SO WHY TAKE CHANCES?

ESPECIALLY SINCE THIS WORLD'S ROBO-BUTT CAN'T TELL THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN ME--

--AND MY GOODIE TWO-SHOES TWIN!

WHEW! THAT WAS CLOSE!

SONIC! ARE YOU ALL RIGHT?!

I SHOULD HAVE KNOWN BETTER THAN TO SEND YOU ON THIS ASSIGNMENT!

IT LOOKS LIKE ONE OF ROBOTNIK'S BETA-BOMBS!

IF SONIC HADN'T SET IT OFF WHEN HE DID, THE EFFECTS WOULD HAVE BEEN A LOT WORSE!

YOU WERE SUPPOSED TO MARK THEIR LOCATIONS!

CAN'T YOU EVER PLAY IT SAFE JUST ONCE?!

HOW DO YOU LIKE THEM APPLES?

"THIS SALLY IS JUST AS BIG A PAIN AS THE ONE I LEFT BEHIND..."

SO WHAT BRINGS YOU HERE TO ANGEL ISLAND, ROUGE?

WE ARE A LITTLE SUSPICIOUS OF VISITORS...

...CONSIDERING OUR RECENT GUESTS. *

EDITOR'S NOTE: AGAIN, SONIC 138-141.

YOU KNOW, THE USUAL--
NEW OPPORTUNITIES--

--A CHANCE TO START OVER--

--WHAT-EVER SPIRIT MOVES ME!

WHY NOT TELL ME ALL ABOUT IT, THEN?

IT'S BEEN A WHILE SINCE I'VE
--HEARD A GOOD STORY!

YOU'LL LOVE THIS ONE, THEN.
IT'S A DOOZY!

ONE COOKED-UP POTBOILER LATER...

--AND THAT'S IT, REALLY.

YOU SOUND LIKE SOMEONE WHO LIVES LIFE ON THE EDGE!

I'VE LEARNED TO BE PREPARED!

PREPARED--?
SAY! YOU WOULDN'T HAPPEN TO BE THE GUARDIAN OF THIS PLACE, WOULD YOU?

GUARDIAN?!

WHY WOULD YOU SAY THAT?

JUST EXACTLY WHAT ARE YOU AFTER?!

MAN, ARE YOU THIS WAY WITH ALL THE LADIES, GRAMPS?! NO WONDER--

WAIT!

WHAT'S HAPPENING TO ME?!

BAWFF!

OF ALL
THE--

ARCHIMEDES!

I WAS
TRYING TO GET
INFORMATION!

WHAT DO YOU THINK
YOU'RE DOING *SPYING*
ON ME LIKE THAT?

REALLY, LOCKE! YOUR
SON *KNUCKLES* HAS
MORE SENSE THAN YOU!

YOU AND WOMEN
HAVE ALWAYS BEEN
A *BAD COMBINA-*
TION!

PROTECT
THE ISLAND
AND FIND
THE BROTHER-
HOOD.

OKAY,
GRAMPS!?

"SO WHERE
DID YOU
TELEPORT
HER?"

OBVIOUSLY
LOCKE VERY
LIKELY KNOWS
WHAT I'M
AFTER!

HE WAS
WAY TOO
CAUTIOUS
TO BE OTHER-
WISE!

WHAT I
NEED IS
SOMEONE
TO BE MY
DECOY--

--A DISTRACTION
FOR LOCKE WHILE
I MAKE OFF WITH
THE GEMS!

BUT WHO...
AND WHERE...
IS MY
PIGEON?

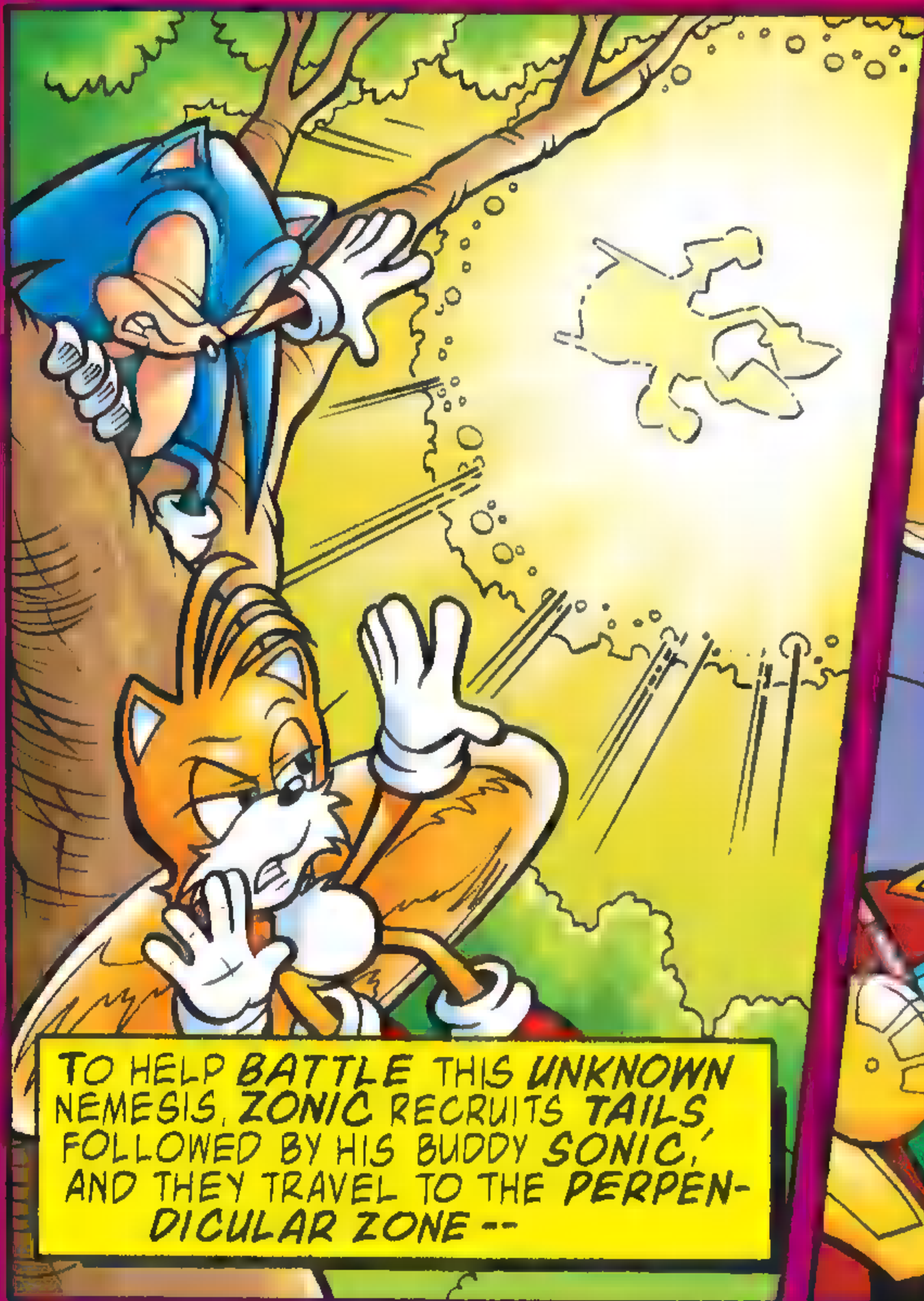
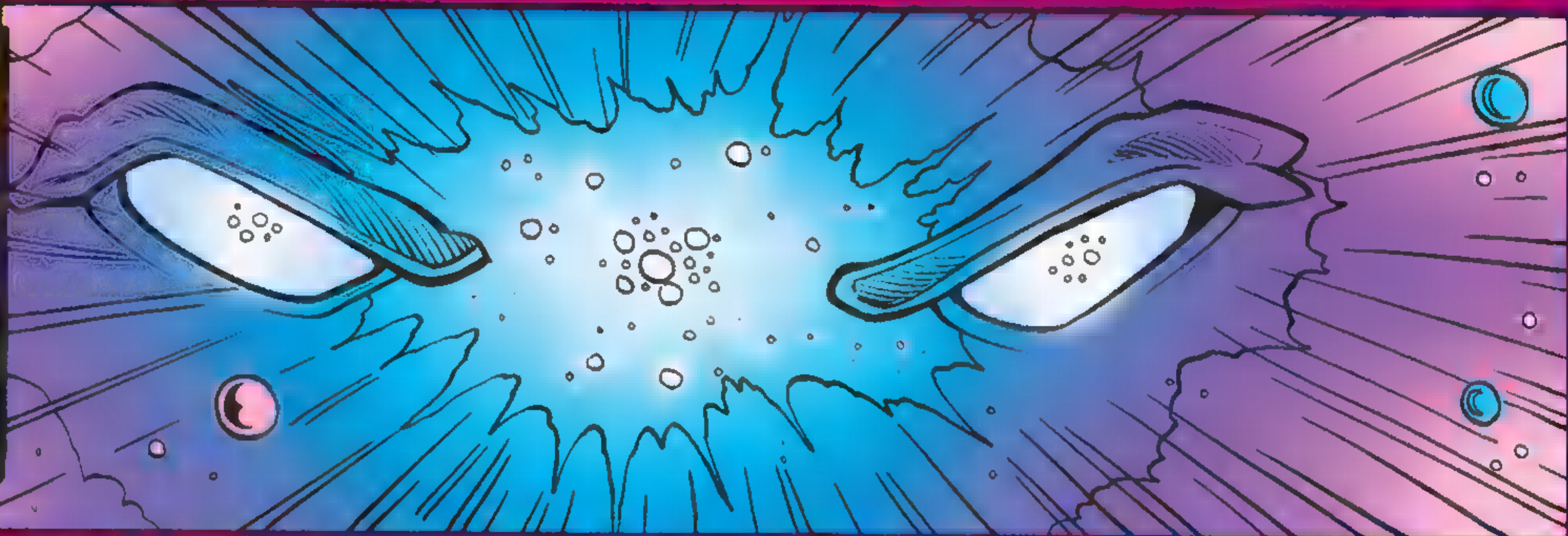
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FORGET
ALL THE REST,
I'VE JUST
FOUND THE
BEST!

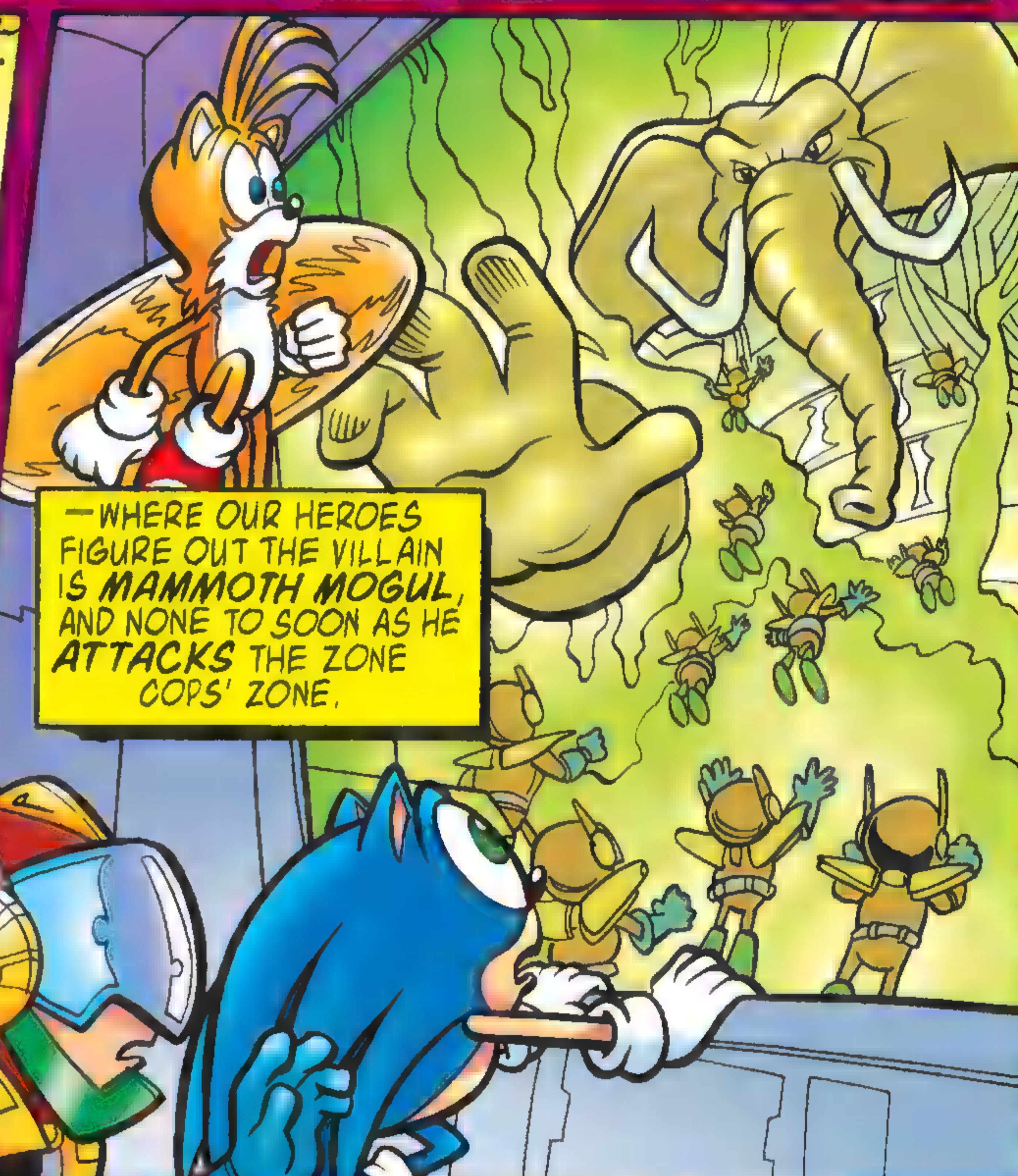
THINGS
ARE REALLY
STARTING TO GET
INTERESTING
NOW!

BE HERE NEXT ISSUE FOR
THE STUNNING CONCLUSION WHEN
THE ACTION KICKS INTO HIGH GEAR
WITH THE WILDEST CAPER YET!

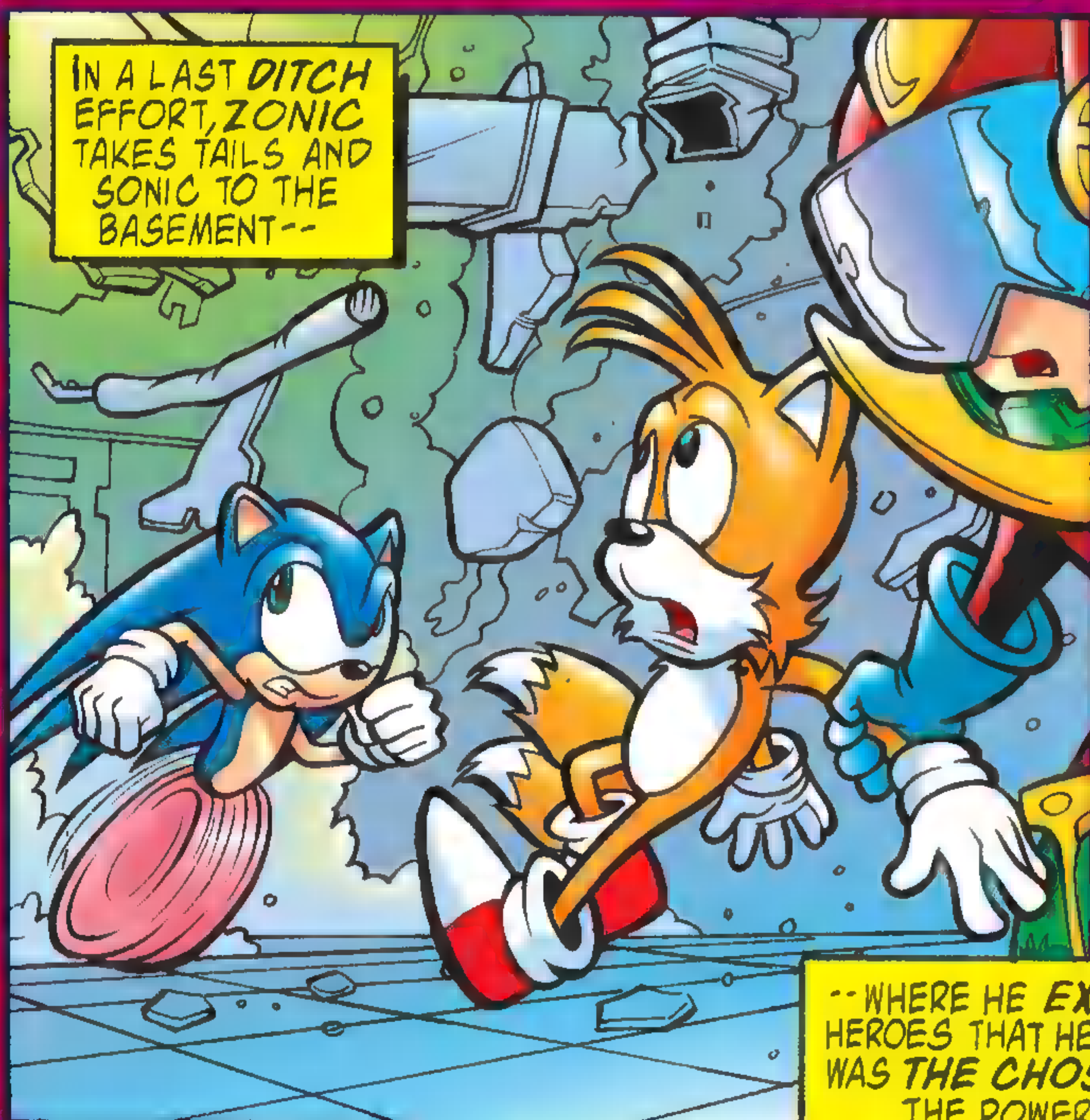
IN OUR LAST
EXCITING
EPISODE A
MYSTERIOUS BEING
OF GALACTIC
POWERS AND
EVIL BEYOND
REASON WAS
DESTROYING
ONE ALTERNATE
ZONE AFTER
ANOTHER.



TO HELP BATTLE THIS UNKNOWN
NEMESIS, ZONIC RECRUITS TAILS,
FOLLOWED BY HIS BUDDY SONIC,
AND THEY TRAVEL TO THE PERPEN-
DICULAR ZONE --



-- WHERE OUR HEROES
FIGURE OUT THE VILLAIN
IS **MAMMOTH MOGUL**,
AND NONE TO SOON AS HE
ATTACKS THE ZONE
COPS' ZONE.



IN A LAST DITCH
EFFORT, ZONIC
TAKES TAILS AND
SONIC TO THE
BASEMENT --



-- WHERE HE EXPLAINS TO OUR
HEROES THAT HE **KNEW** THAT TAILS
WAS **THE CHOSEN ONE** TO DEFEAT
THE POWER OF **MOGUL**...

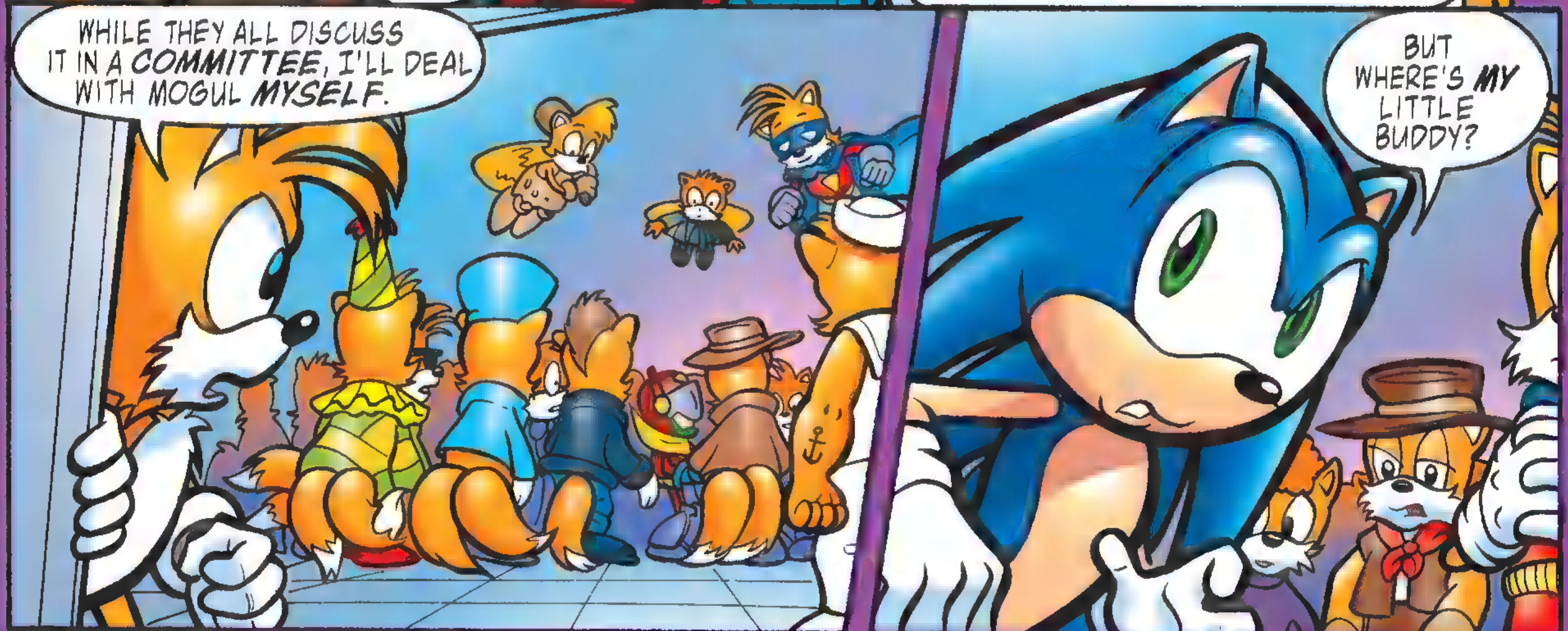
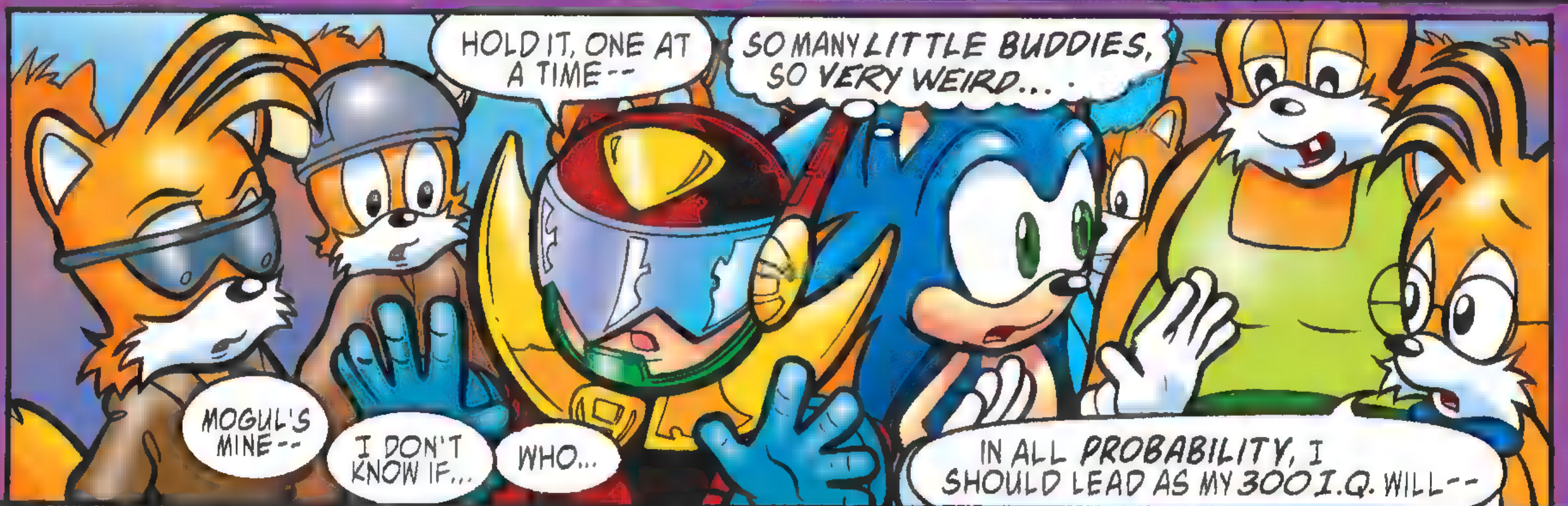
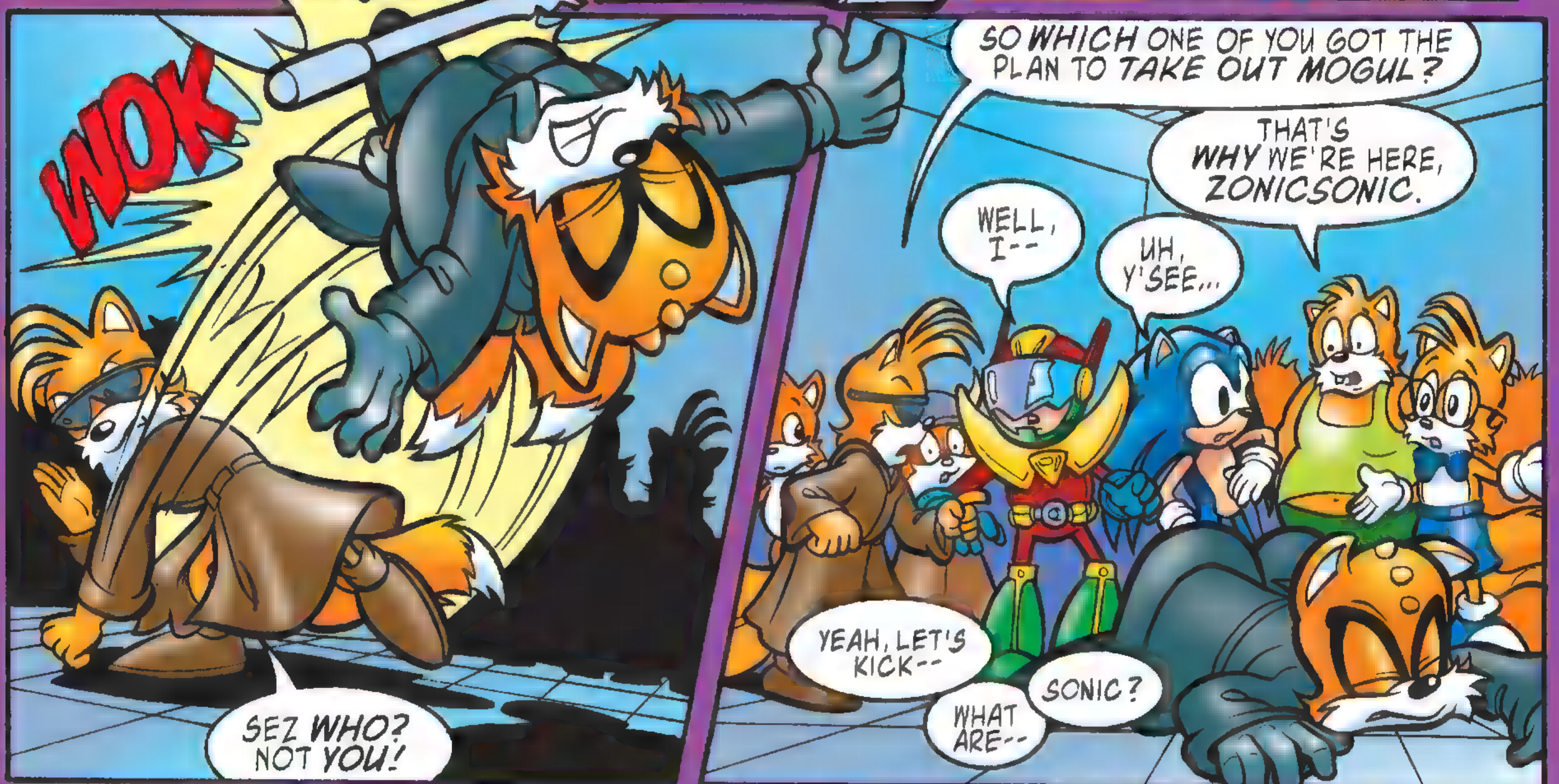
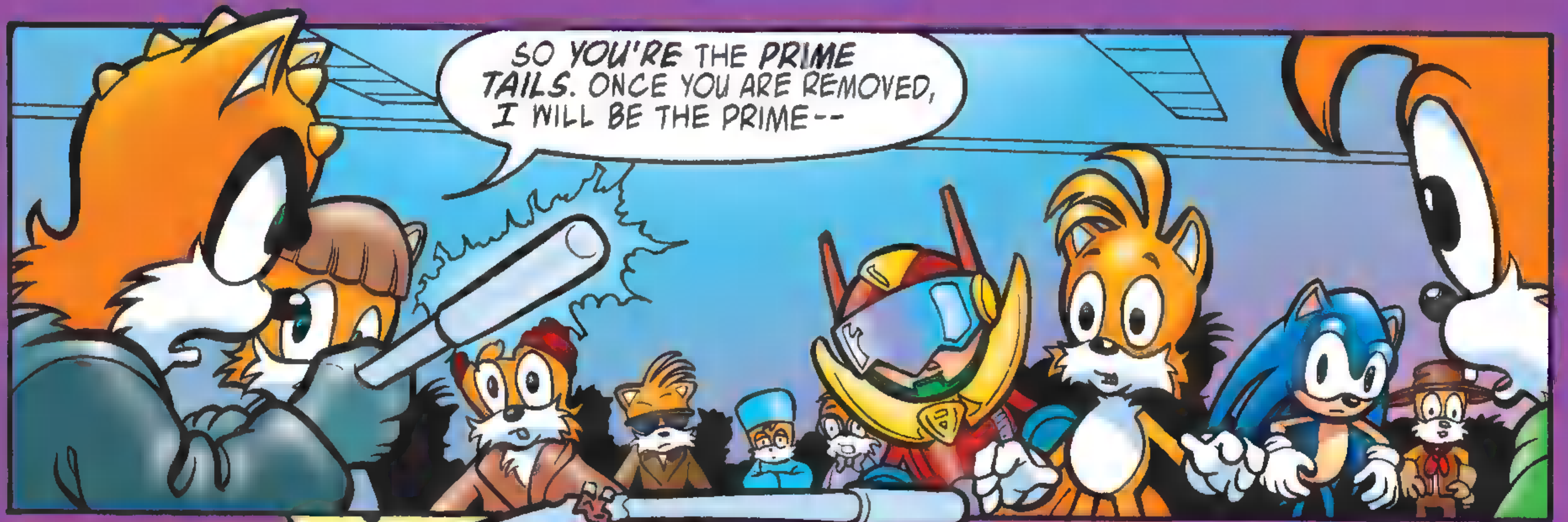
THE CHOSEN ONE PART TWO

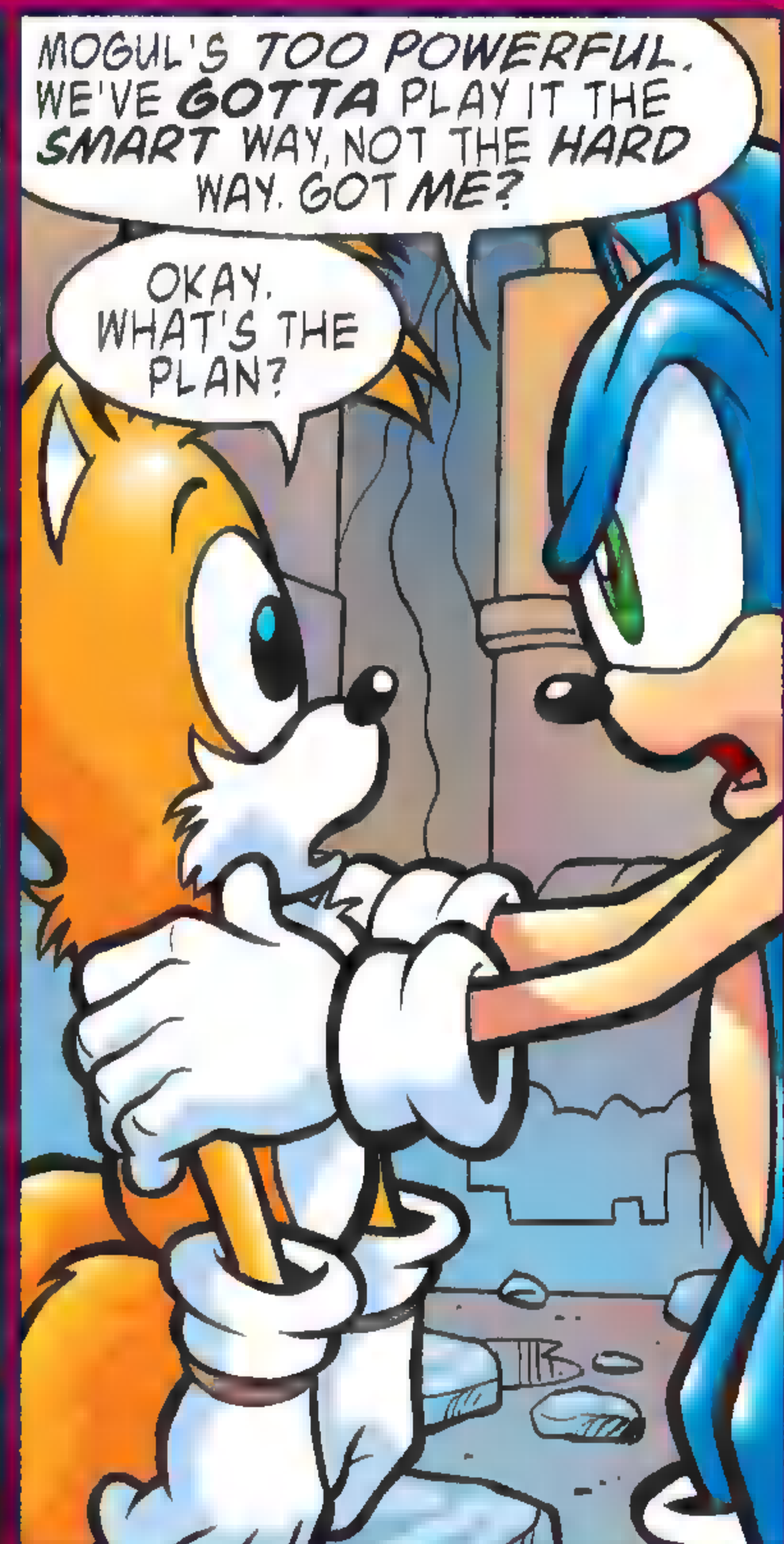
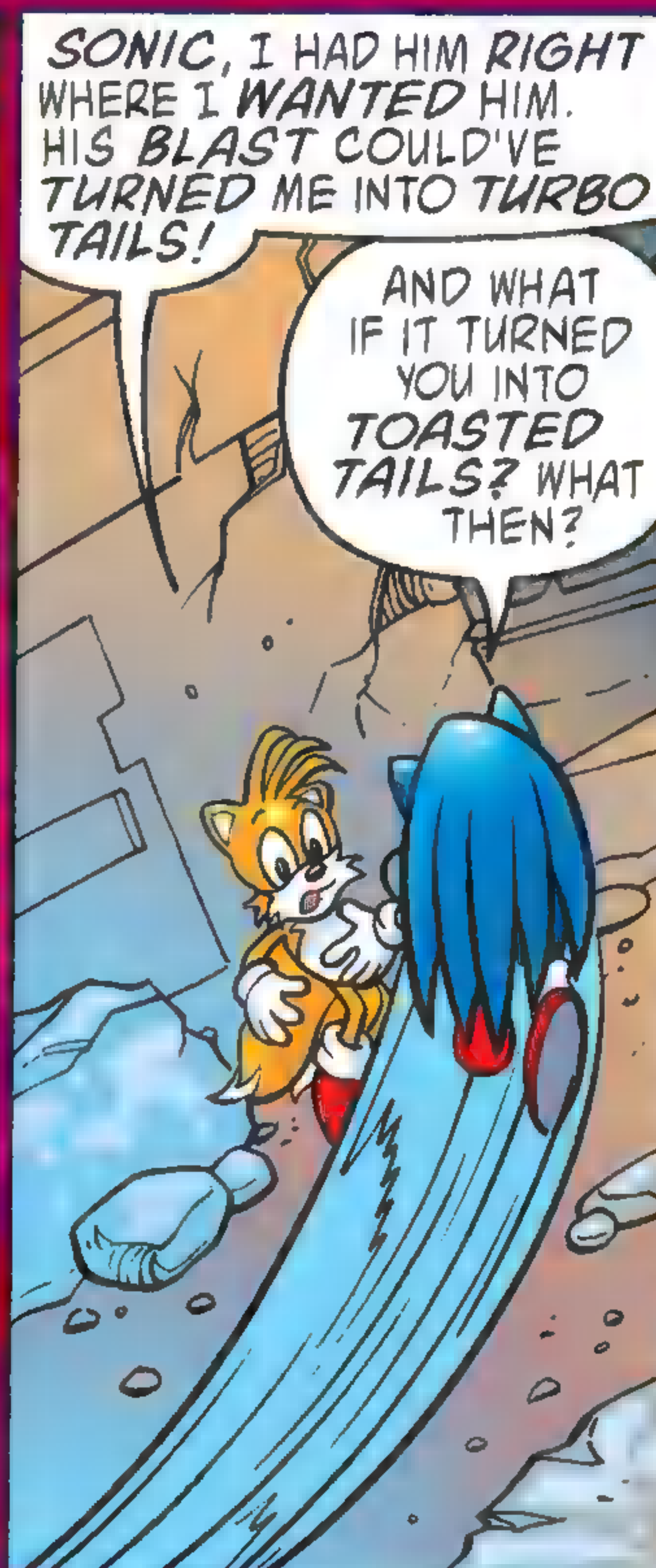
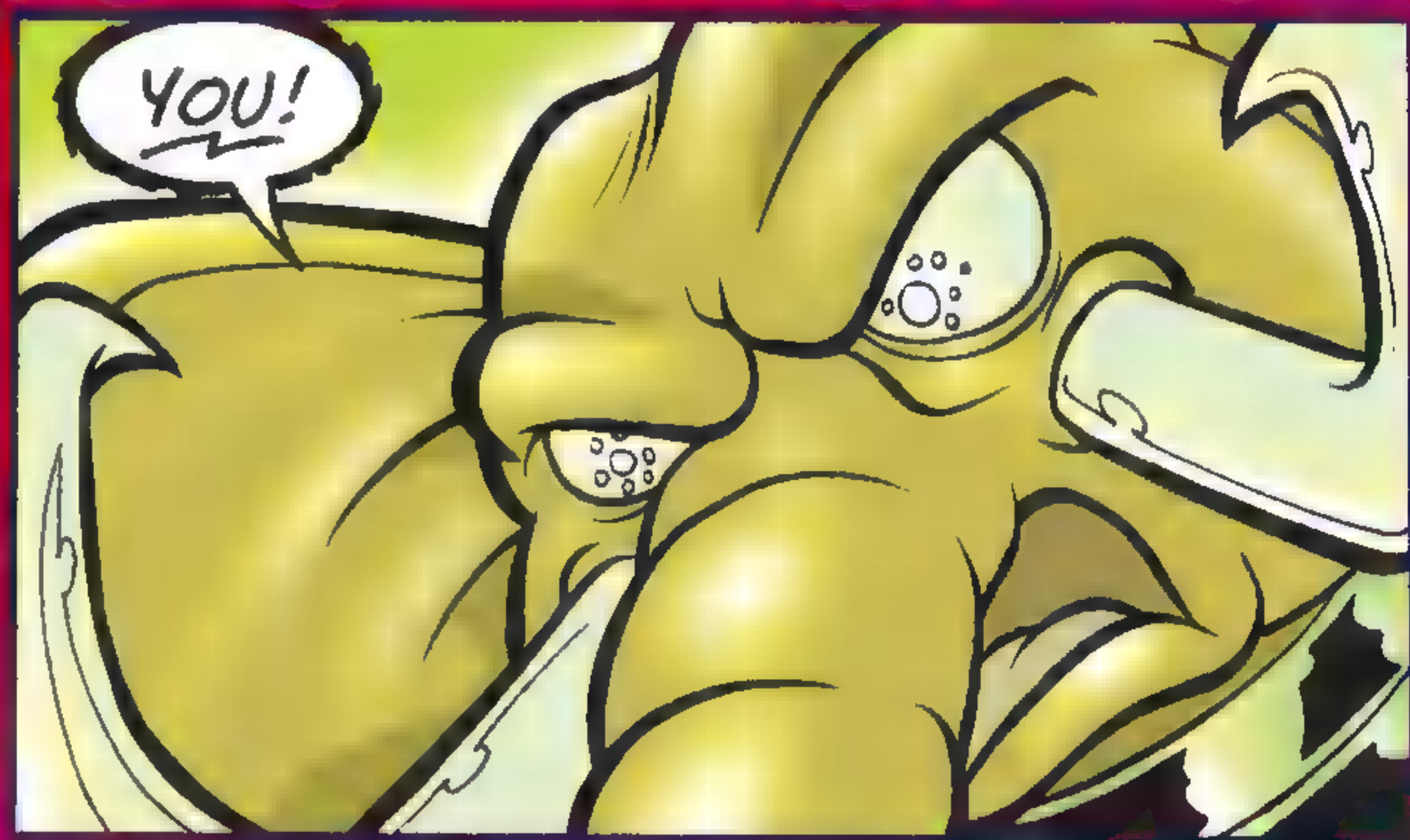
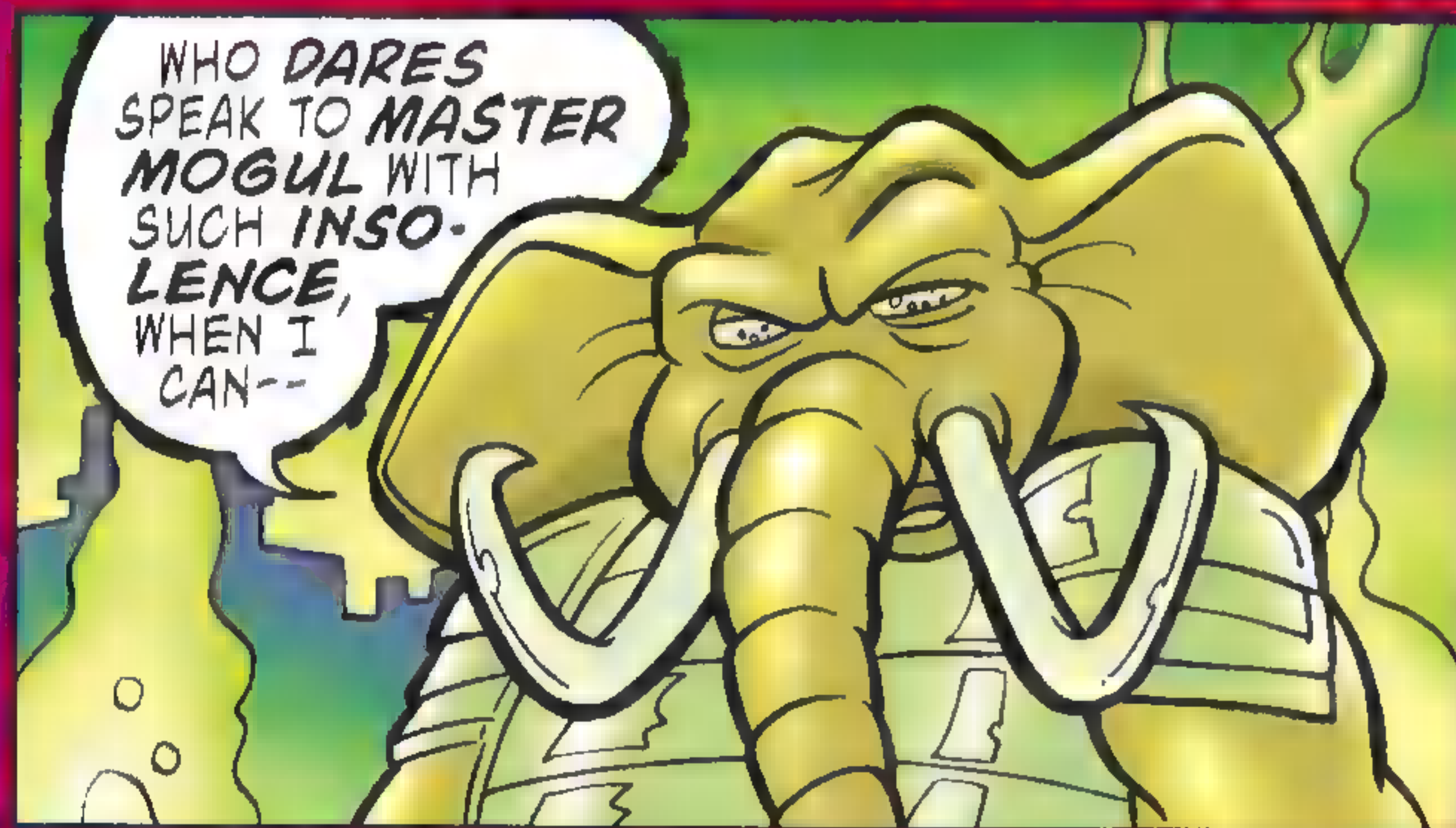
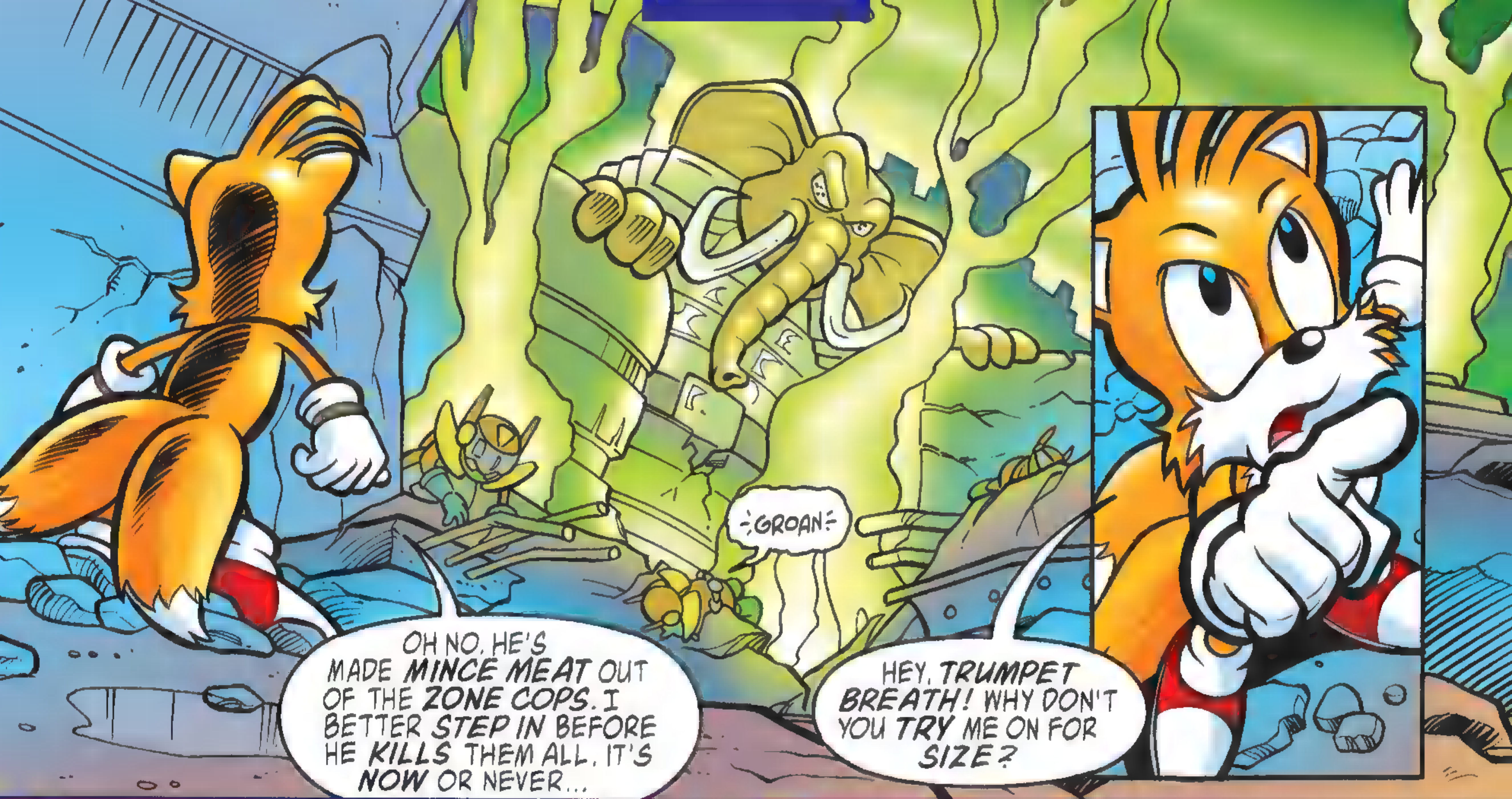
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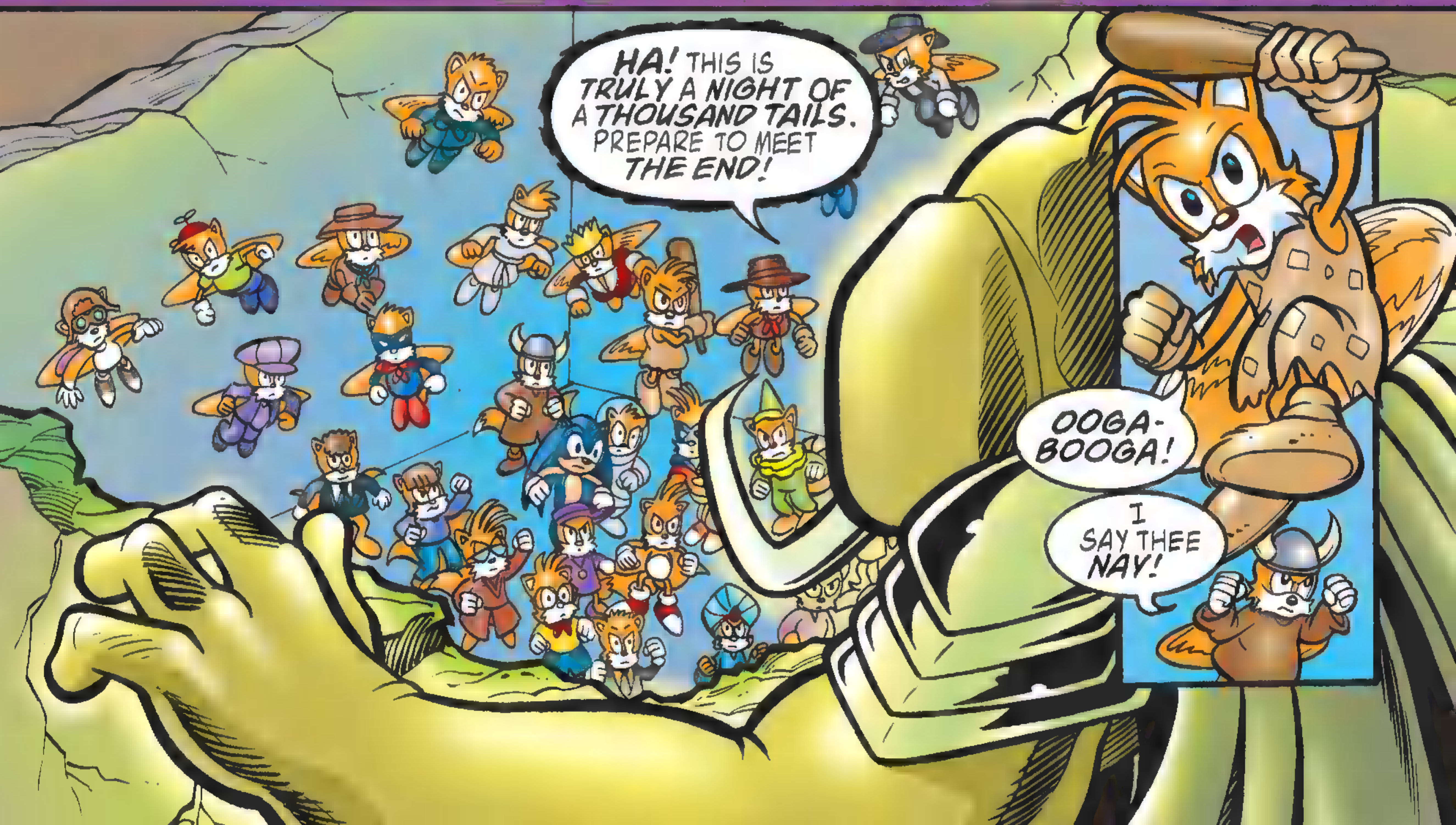
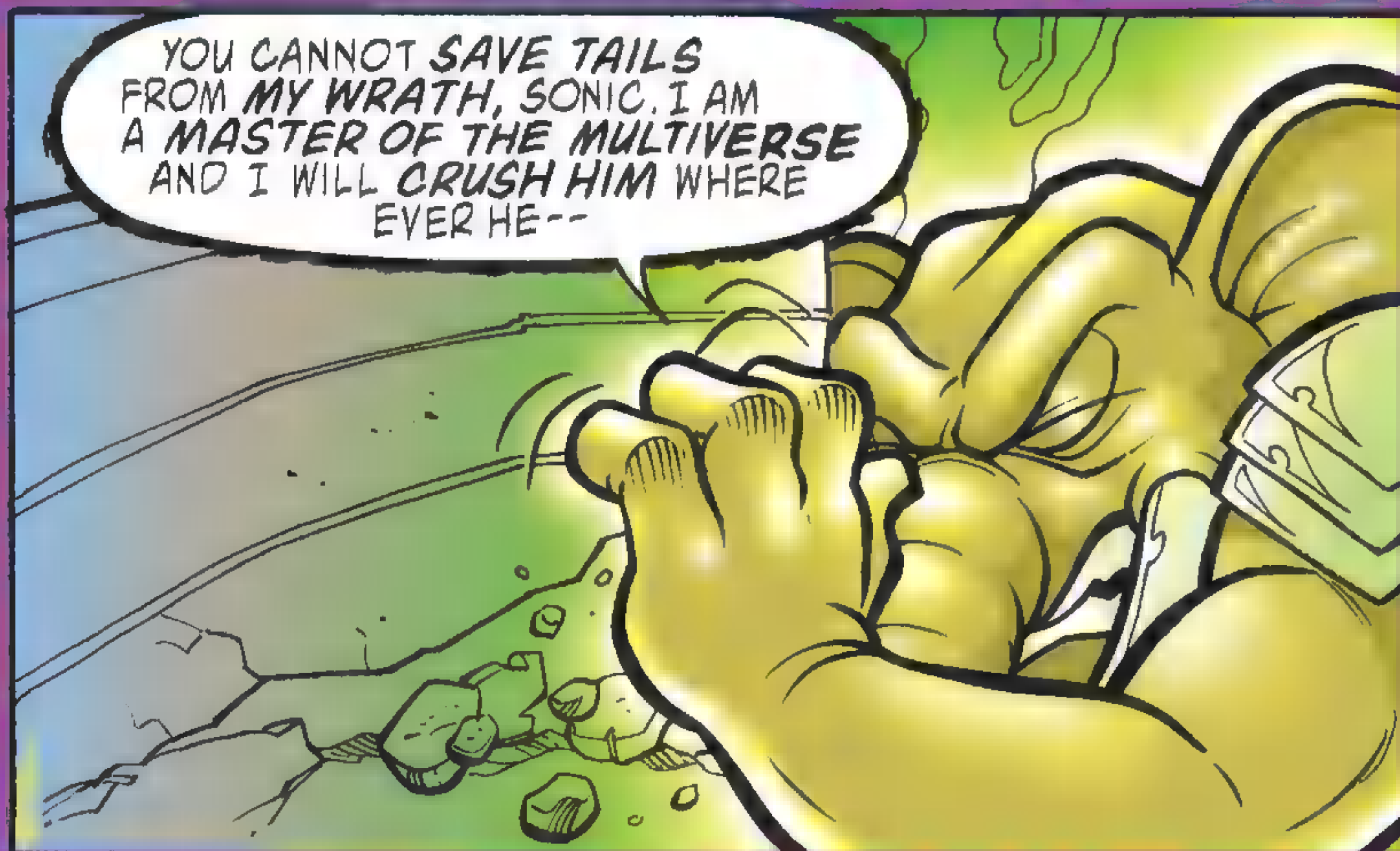
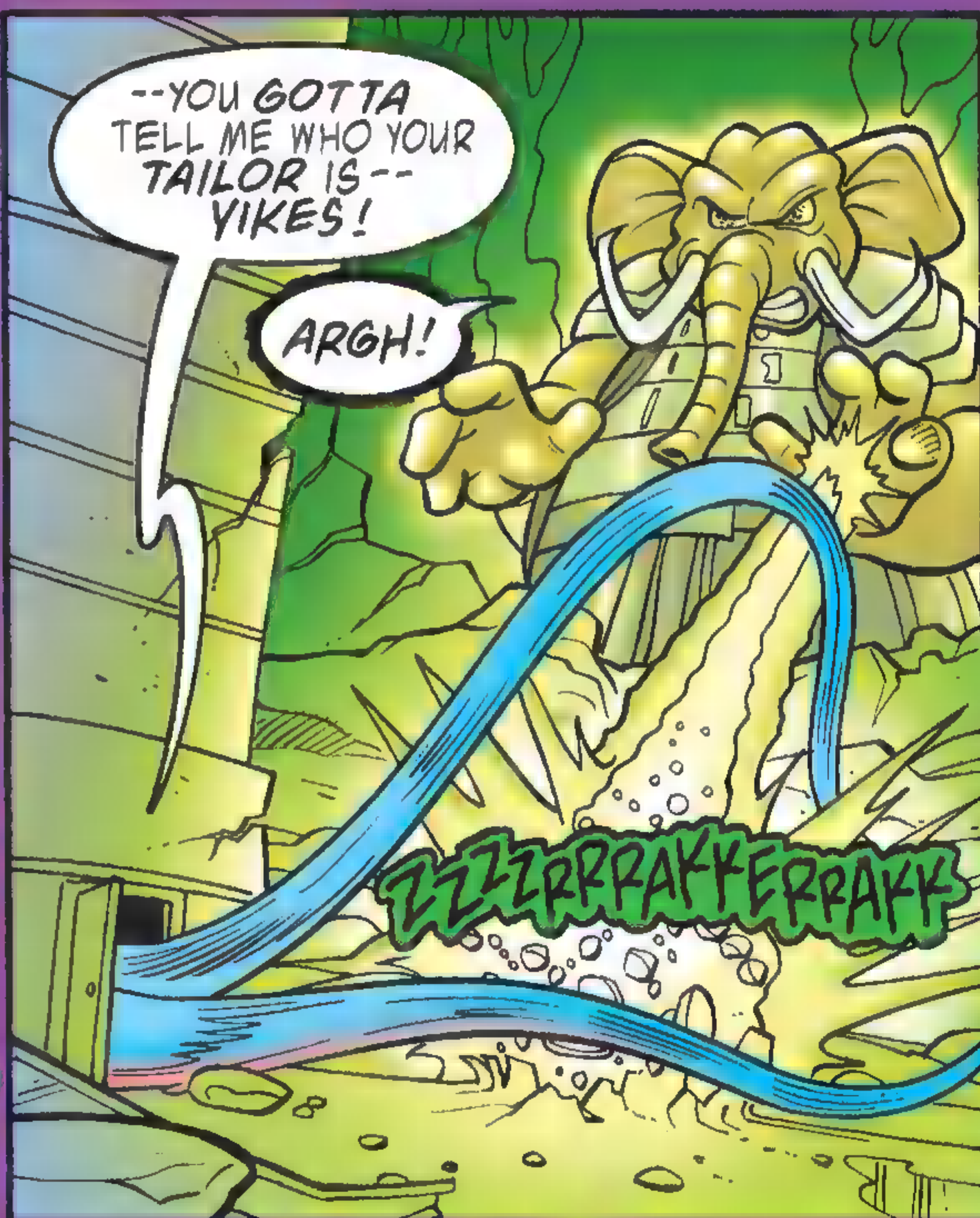
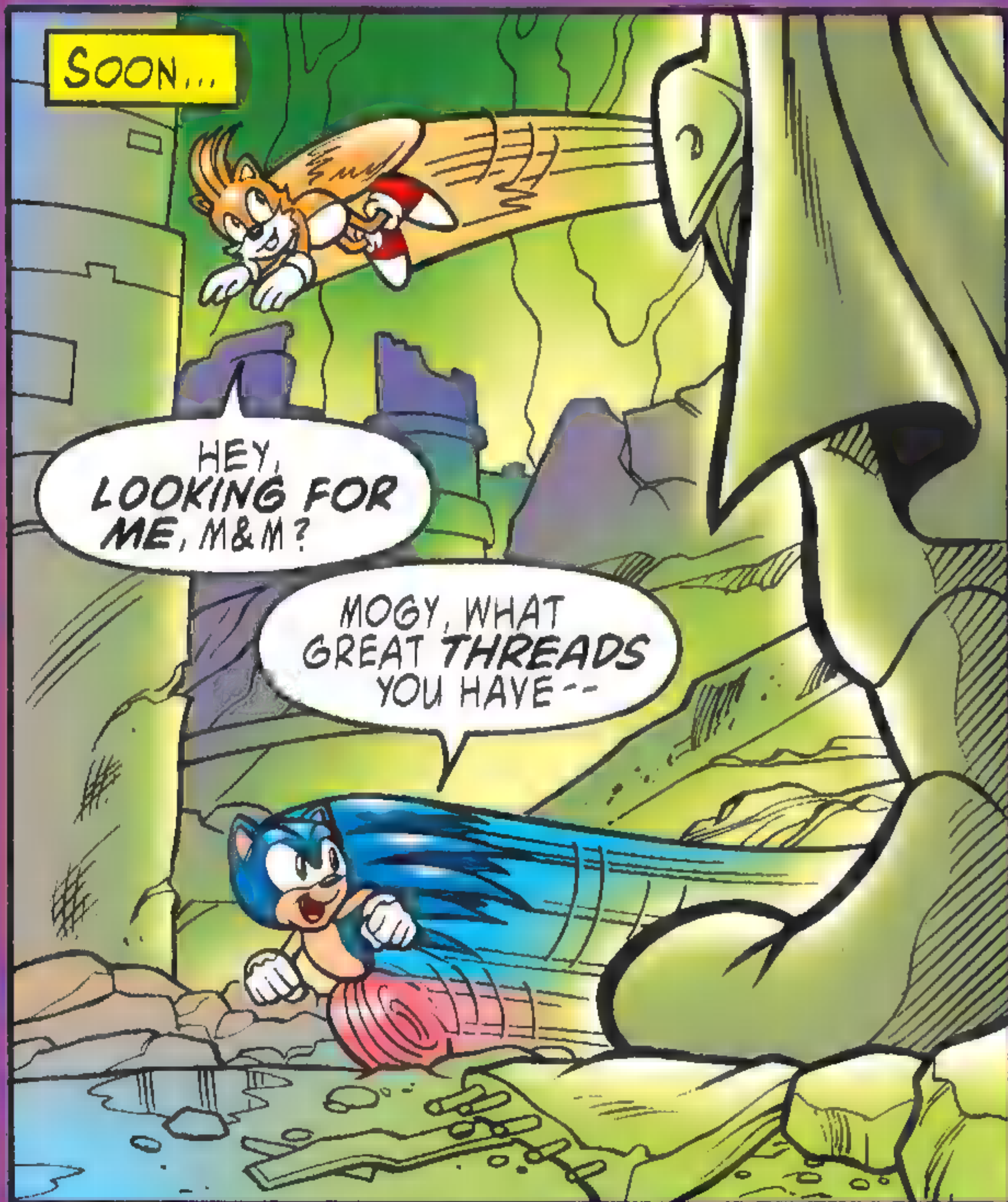


...BUT DIDN'T KNOW WHICH
TAILS FROM WHICH
MULTI-VERSE IT WOULD
BE--

--SO HE RECRUITED
ALL OF THEM.





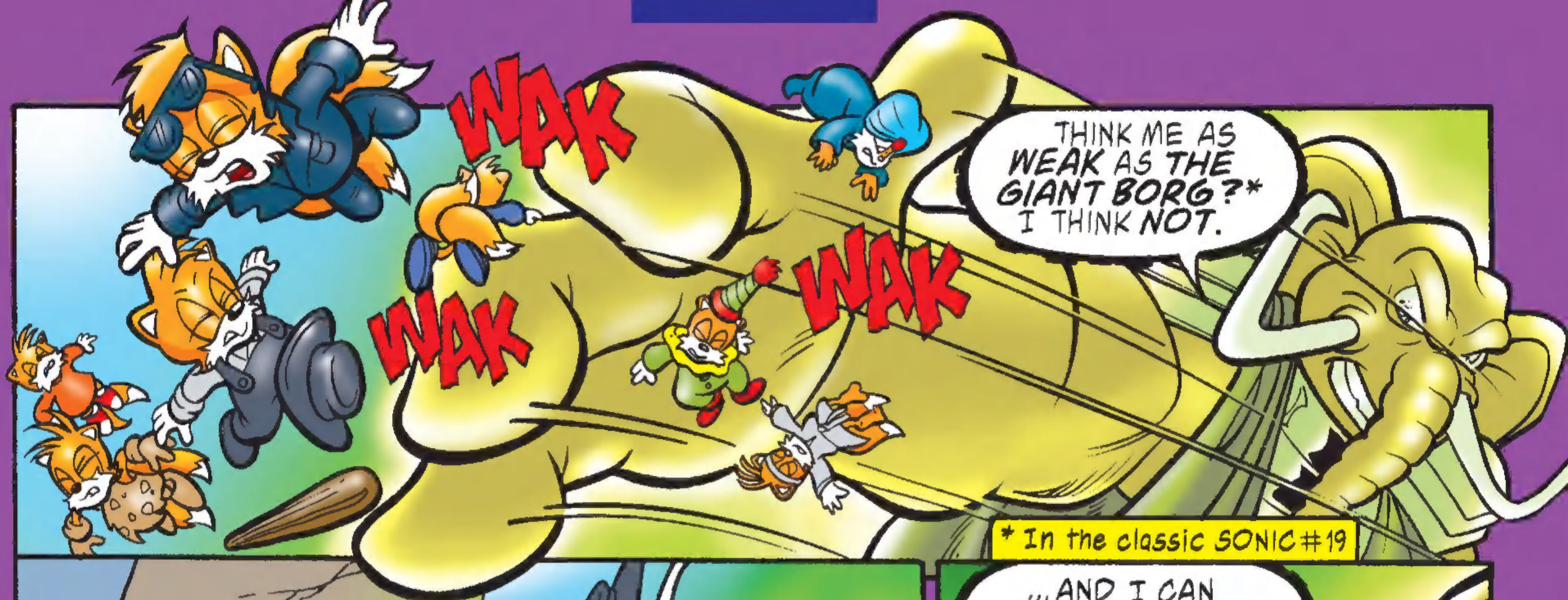




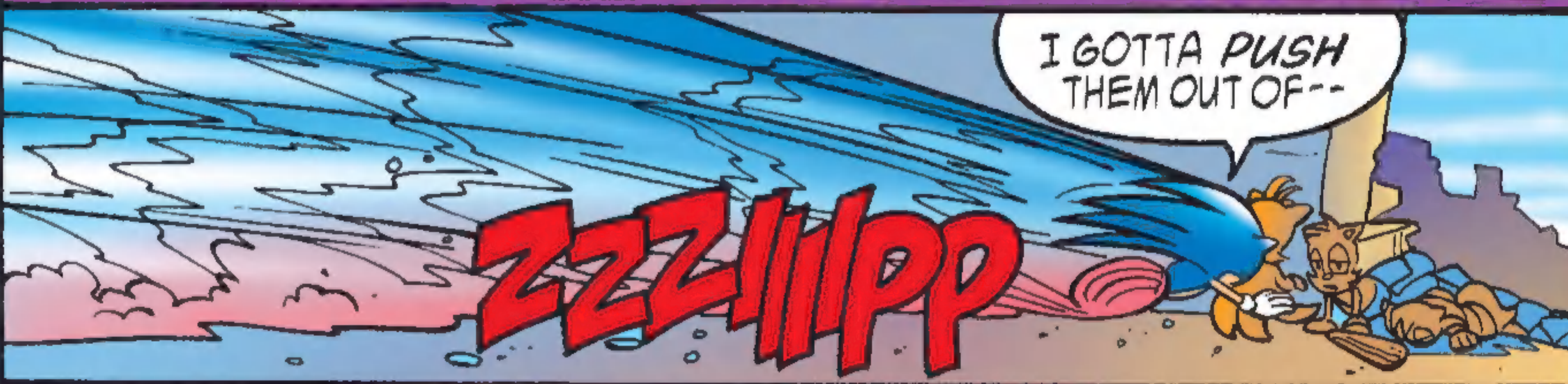
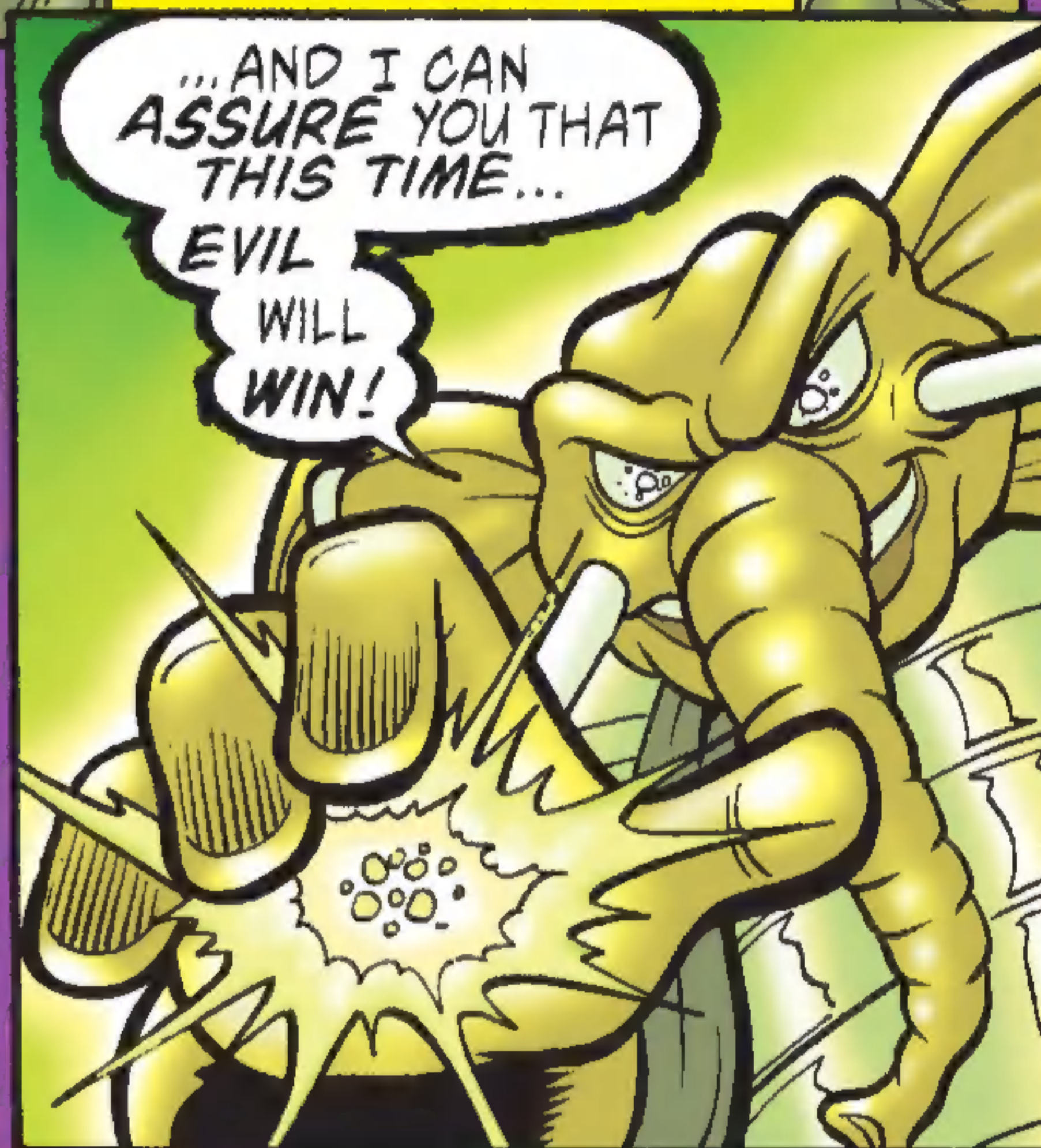
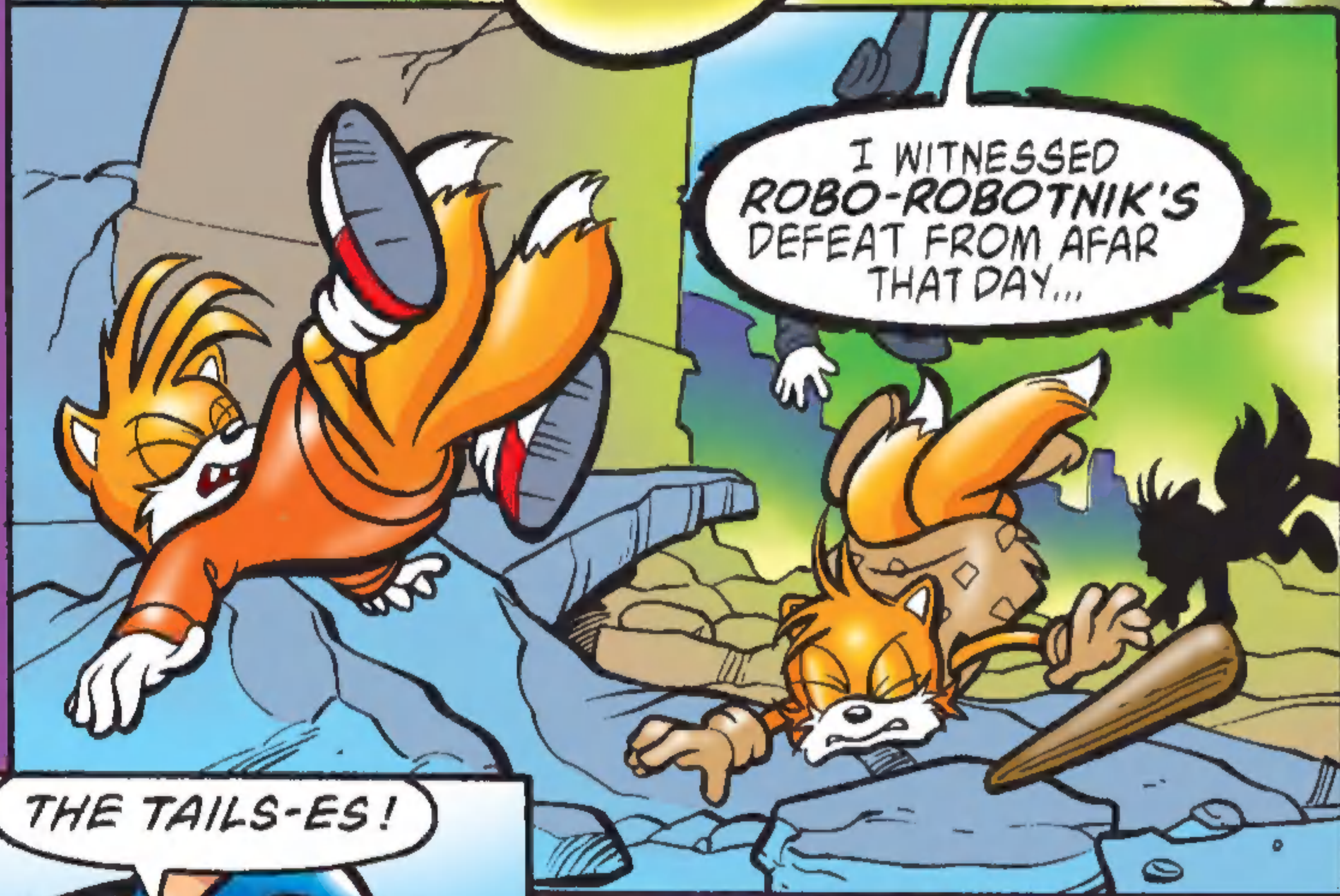
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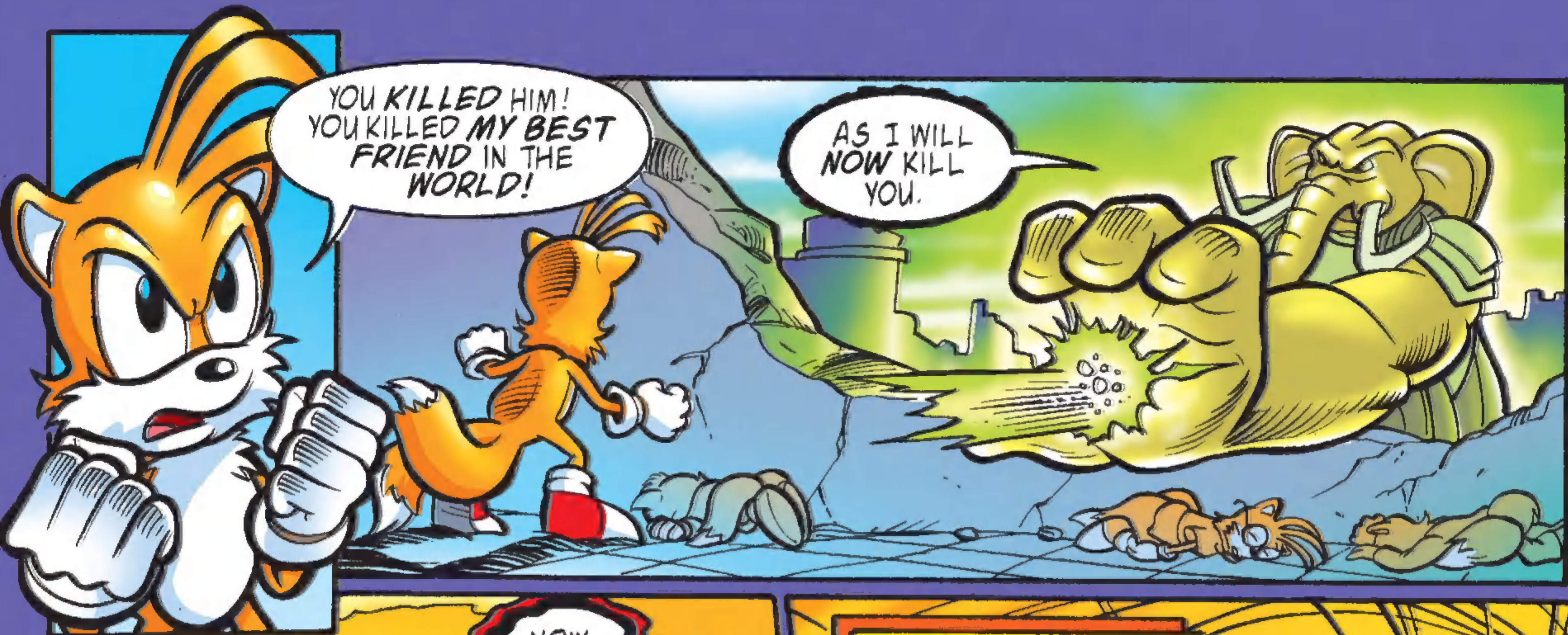
--WHILE
HE'S OFF
BALANCE--

--LET'S
HIT HIM WITH
EVERYTHING
WE GOT!!



* In the classic SONIC #19





YOU KILLED HIM!
YOU KILLED MY BEST
FRIEND IN THE
WORLD!

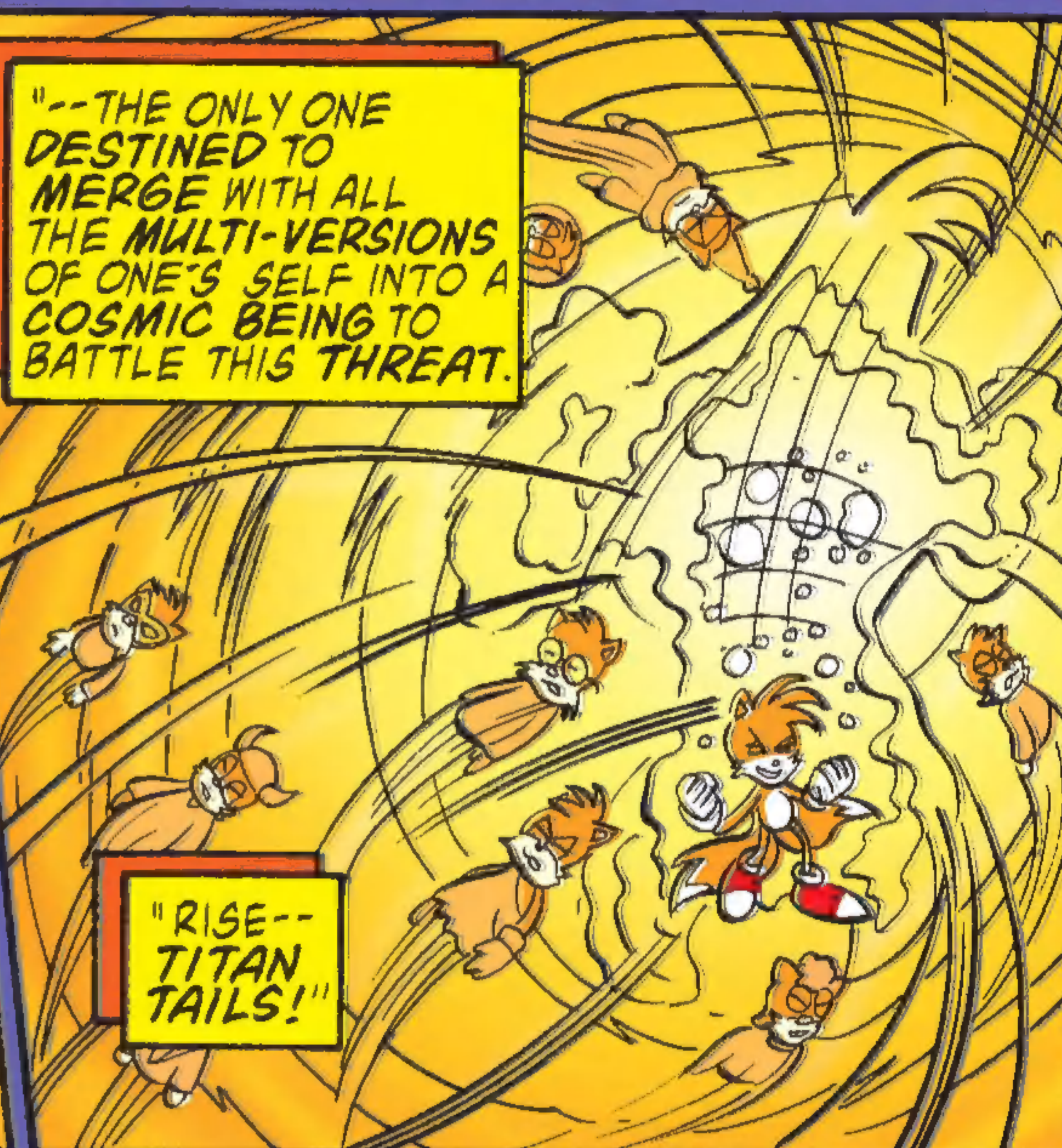
AS I WILL
NOW KILL
YOU.



A-ATHAIR?!

NOW,
TAILS--

YES. IT IS
THE MOMENT
OF YOUR CALLING
AS THE CHOSEN
ONE.



--THE ONLY ONE
DESTINED TO
MERGE WITH ALL
THE MULTI-VERSIONS
OF ONE'S SELF INTO A
COSMIC BEING TO
BATTLE THIS THREAT.

"RISE--
TITAN
TAILS!"



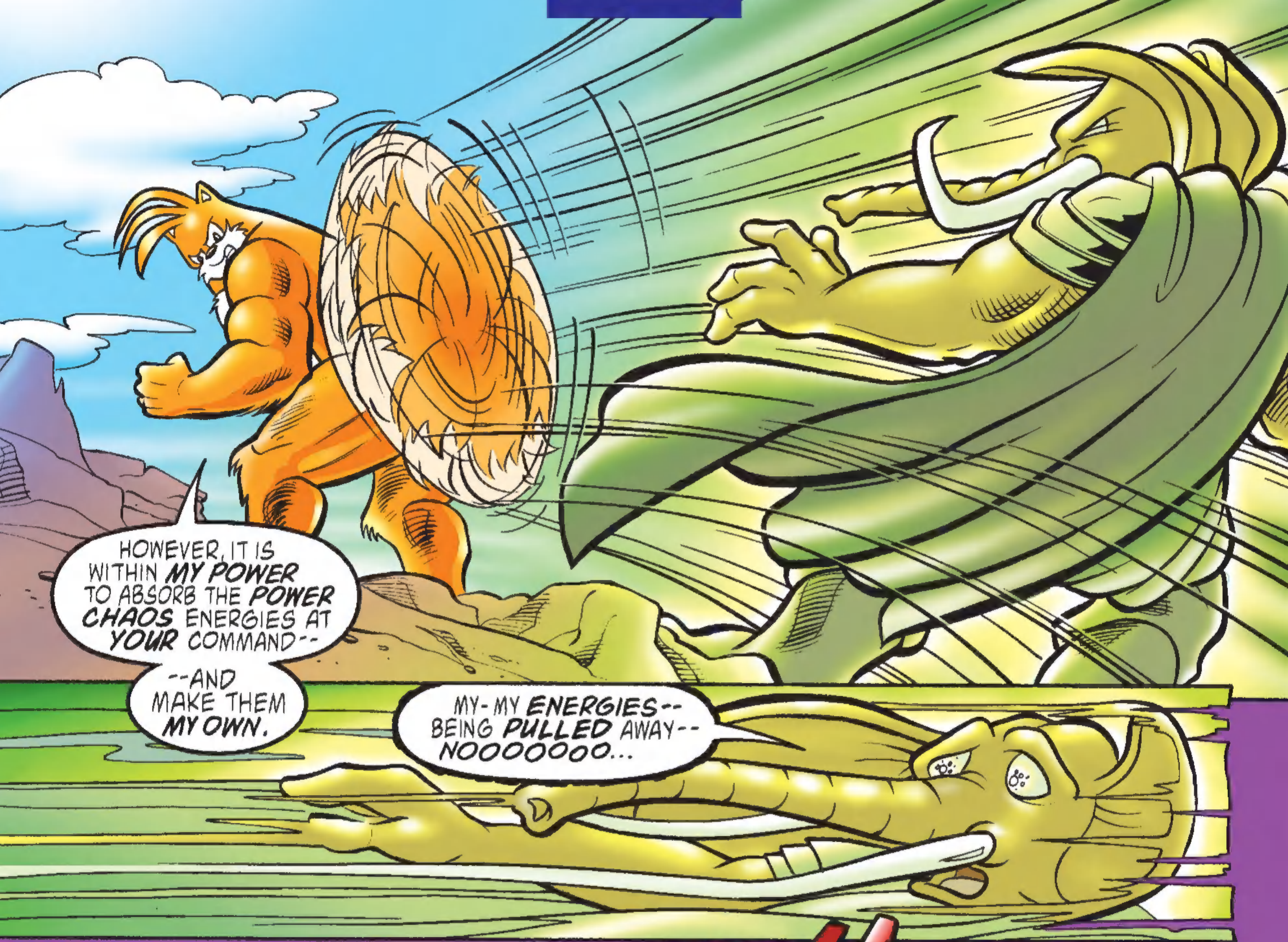
NO!
THIS CANNOT
BE!

BUT IT
IS. IT IS OUR
DESTINY!

NO--I WILL
DESTROY YOU WITH
THE POWER CHAOS
AT MY COMMAND.



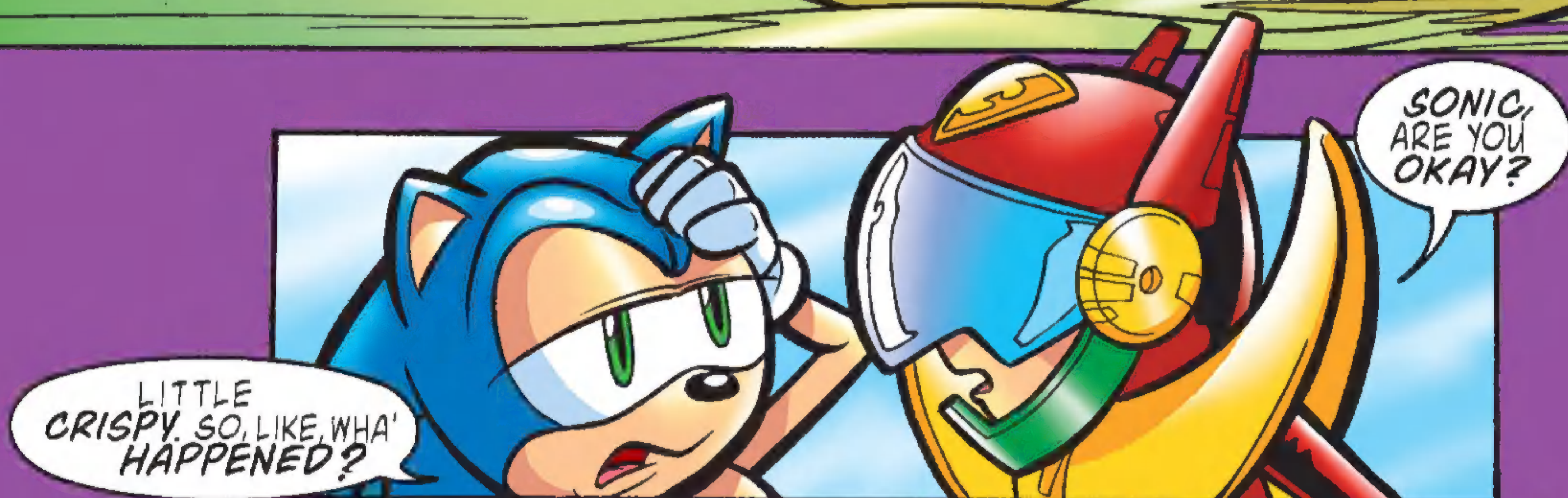
YOU
WILL
NOT.



HOWEVER, IT IS
WITHIN **MY POWER**
TO ABSORB THE **POWER**
CHAOS ENERGIES AT
YOUR COMMAND--

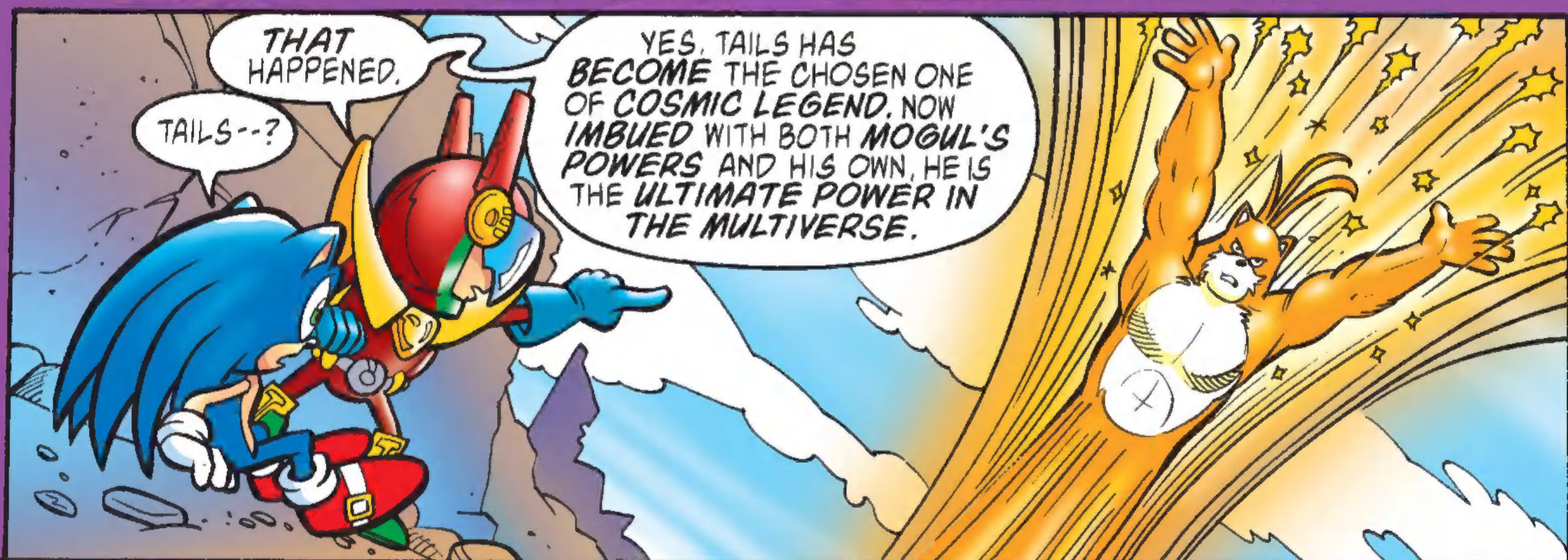
--AND
MAKE THEM
MY OWN.

MY-MY **ENERGIES**--
BEING **PULLED AWAY**--
NOOOOOOOO...



LITTLE
CRISPY. SO, LIKE, WHA'
HAPPENED?

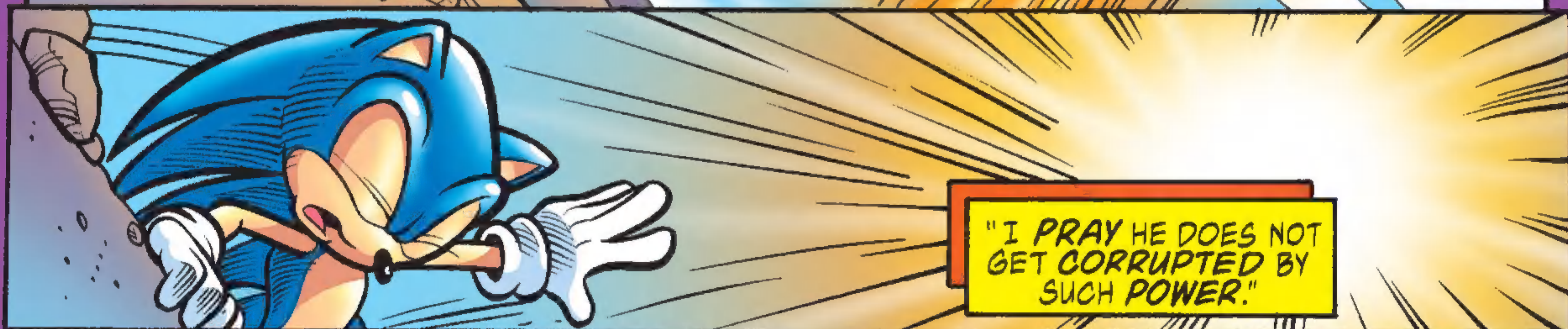
SONIC,
ARE YOU
OKAY?



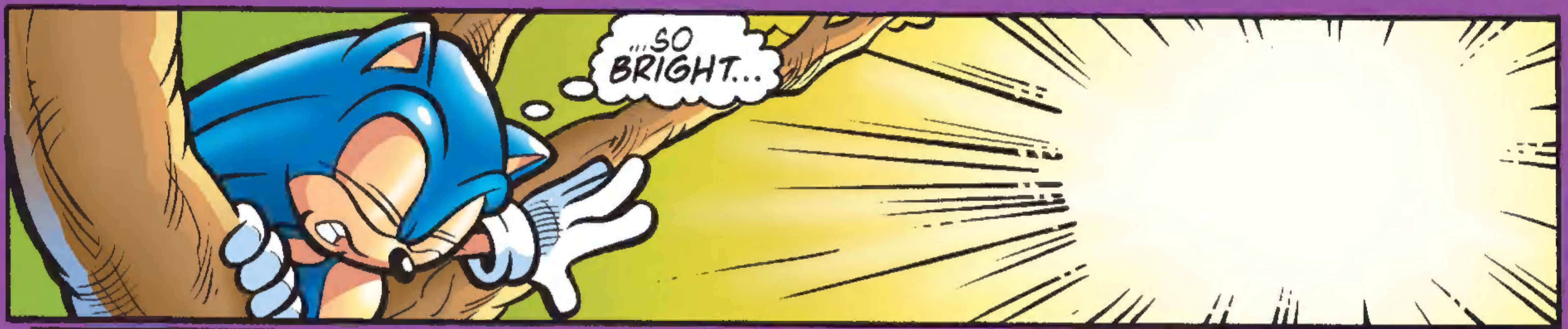
THAT
HAPPENED.

TAILS--?

YES, TAILS HAS
BECOME THE CHOSEN ONE
OF **COSMIC LEGEND**. NOW
IMBUED WITH BOTH **MOGUL'S**
POWERS AND HIS OWN, HE IS
THE **ULTIMATE POWER** IN
THE **MULTIVERSE**.



"I **PRAY** HE DOES NOT
GET **CORRUPTED** BY
SUCH **POWER**."

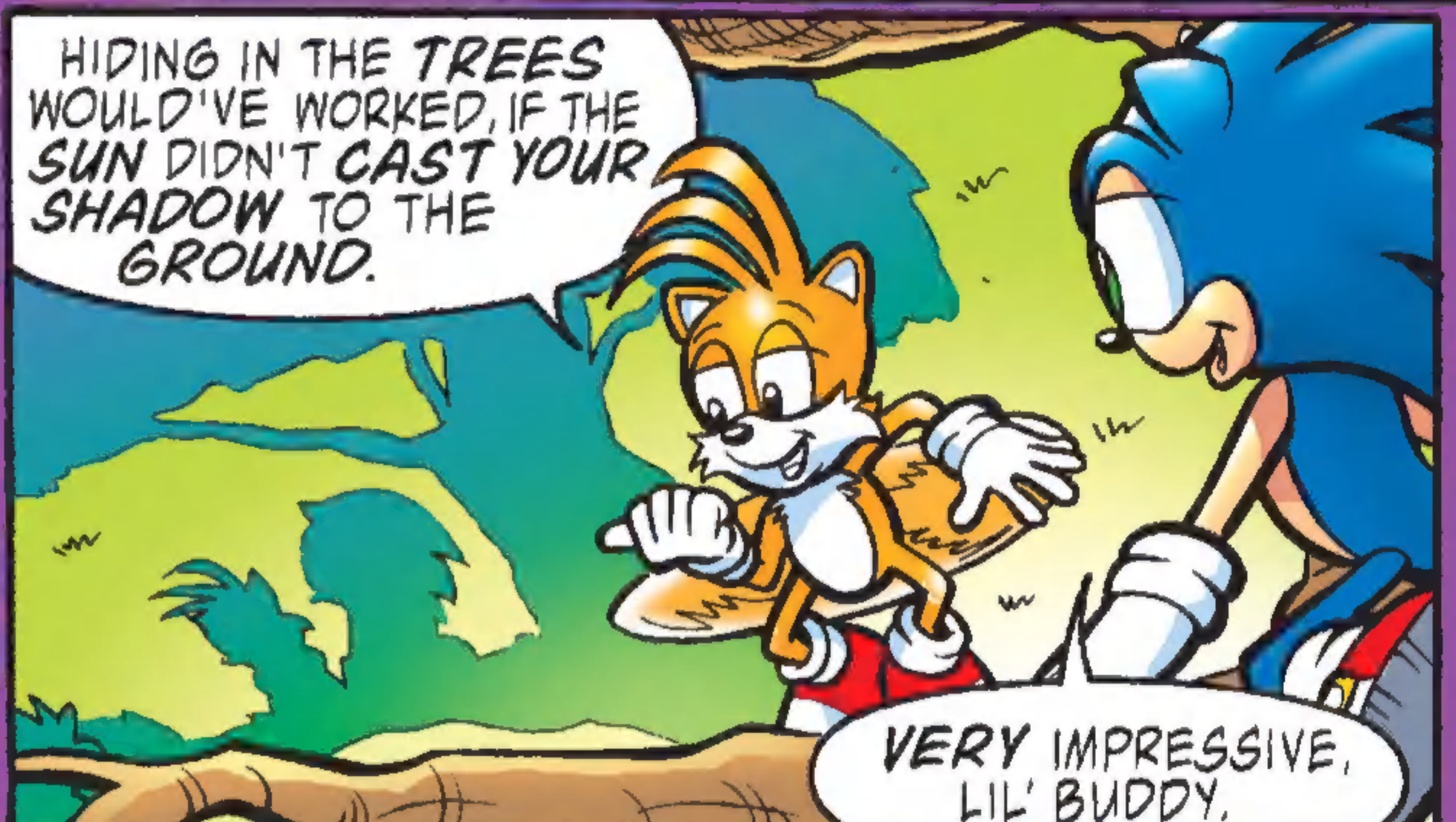


...SO BRIGHT...



TAG, YOU'RE IT, SONIC!

WHAT THE? TAILS, HOW DID YOU FIND ME?



HIDING IN THE TREES WOULD'VE WORKED, IF THE SUN DIDN'T CAST YOUR SHADOW TO THE GROUND.

VERY IMPRESSIVE, LIL' BUDDY.



HOW'S ABOUT CHILI DOGS? MY TREAT.

YEAH!



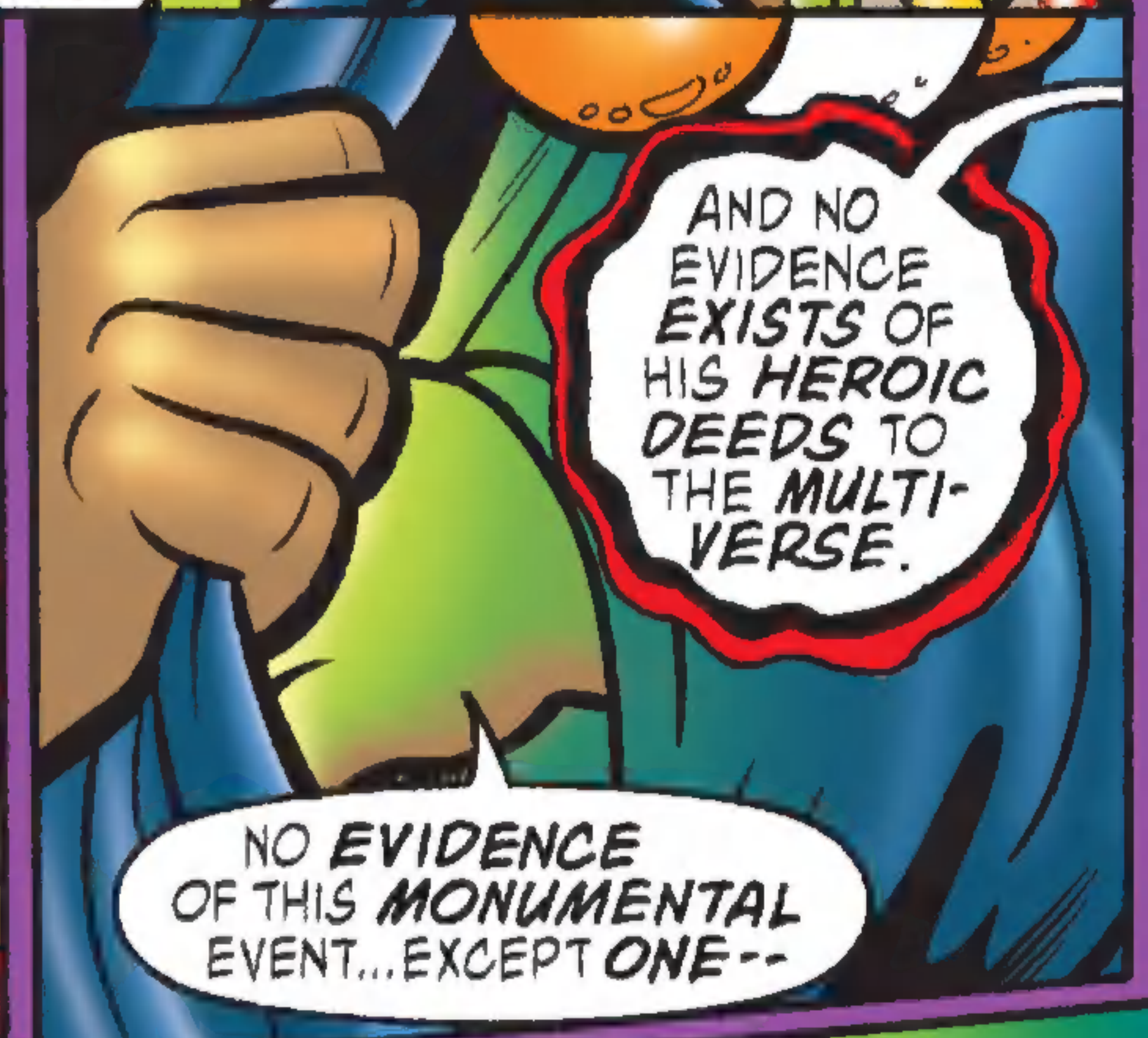
MERLIN PROWER, YOUR NEPHEW IS QUITE AMAZING.

YES, HE IS.



IMAGINE, WITH ALL THE POWER TO SHAKE THE COSMOS--

INSTEAD HE USES IT TO RESTORE EVERYTHING TO ITS PROPER BALANCE AS IF IT NEVER HAPPENED.



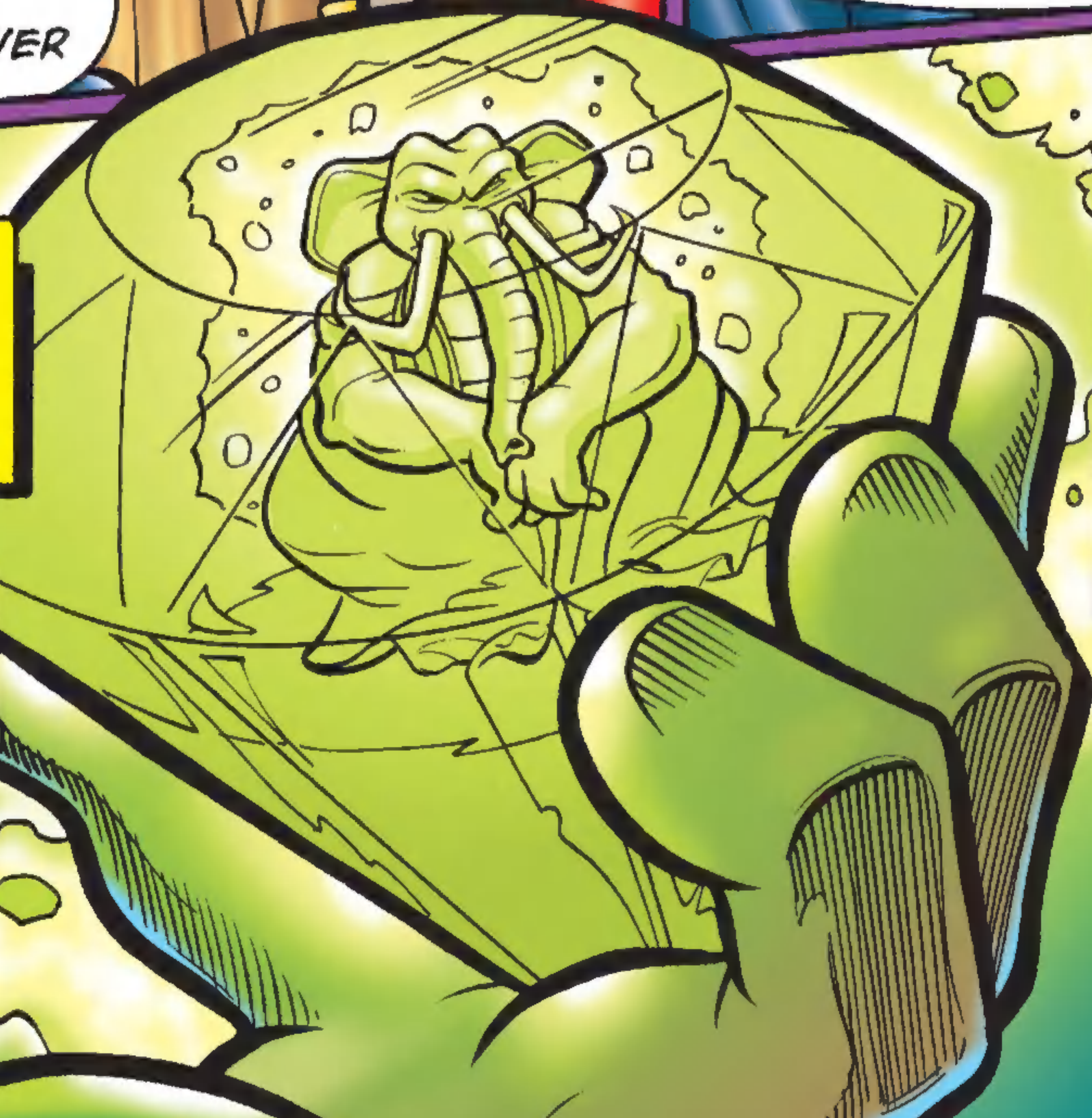
AND NO EVIDENCE EXISTS OF HIS HEROIC DEEDS TO THE MULTI-VERSE.

NO EVIDENCE OF THIS MONUMENTAL EVENT...EXCEPT ONE--

THERE SITS MAMMOTH MOGUL, FORMER MASTER OF THE MULTIVERSE. IMPRISONED IN THE VERY EMERALD THAT LAY IN HIS CHEST FOR CENTURIES.

FINALLY SEPARATED FROM IT, HIS ABILITIES TO ABSORB CHAOTIC ENERGIES ARE GONE.

HE IS COMPLETELY POWERLESS TO DO ANYTHING ABOUT IT...



...EXCEPT HATE THE ONE THAT BEAT HIM.

SOMETHING HE PLANS TO DO UNTIL THE END OF TIME.

The End